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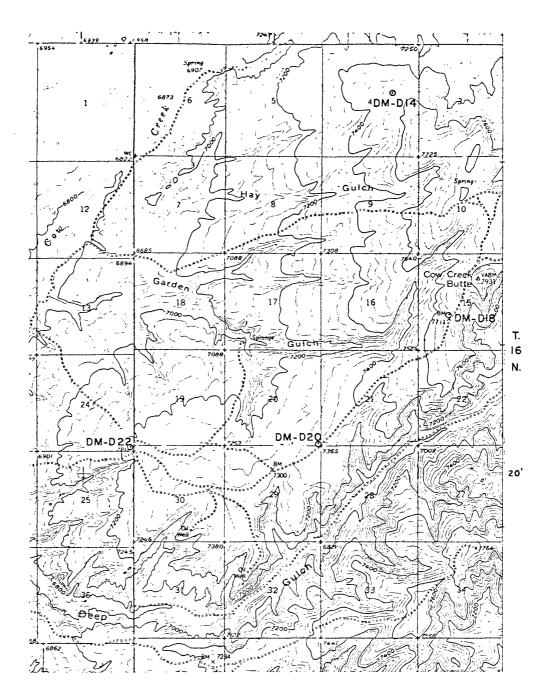
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Introduction

Eight holes were drilled in Tps. 15 and 16 N., Rs. 90 and 91 W., Doty Mountain quadrangle, Carbon County, Wyoming (fig. 1), by the U.S. Geological Survey in September and October 1975. This drilling was done to obtain information on the depth, thickness, and extent of coal in the Almond Formation and is part of a project to evaluate and classify federally owned coal resources and lands in the Little Snake River coal field and adjacent areas.

Drilling was done with a truck-mounted rotary drilling rig belonging to the U.S. Geological Survey. Drill bits used were 5-1/8-inch roller-cone medium-hard rock bits. Drilling fluids injected were air or air and water. Air was used to depths where drill cuttings became too sticky from formation water to be blown from the hole. Then water was injected with compressed air to aid in transport of cuttings to the surface. In most cases hole erosion and mixing of cuttings with up-hole debris increased and the quantity and quality of cuttings decreased with increasing depth, formation water, and injected water. During drilling cuttings believed to be representative of the rock strata were sampled, examined, and logged. Later each drill hole was logged by geophysical methods.



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The drill rig was operated by a U.S. Geological Survey crew consisting of J. D. Cathcart (driller), A. C. Clark and S. B. Roberts, and supervised by J. D. Tucker. J. M. Back assisted in the collection of samples and preparation of sample logs during drilling. L. A. Shoaff assisted in the preparation of data for presentation in this report. Geophysical logging was done by R. A. McCullough.

Stratigraphy of the drilled rock formations

Rock strata intersected by drilling belong to the Mesaverde Group and to the overlying Lewis Shale, both of Late Cretaceous age. southern Wyoming the Mesaverde Group consists, in ascending order, of the Haystack Mountain Formation, the Allen Ridge Formation, the Pine Ridge Sandstone, and the Almond Formation (Gill, Merewether, and Cobban, 1970). The Haystack Mountain Formation is a marine and marginal marine unit and primarily consists of shale and thick sandstone beds. Single coal beds 1-2 feet (0.3-0.6 m) thick occur above regressive marine sandstone beds in the formation in a few places in the Little Snake River coal field. The Allen Ridge Formation is primarily a continental deposit and consists mostly of thick, lenticular sandstone beds and thinly to thickly interbedded siltstone, sandstone, mudstone, and carbonaceous shale. Coal beds 1-3 ft (0.3-0.9 m) thick generally occur near the base of the formation. The uppermost part of the formation contains marginal marine lagoonal-paludal deposits of thinbedded sandstone and siltstone, carbonaceous shale, and coal beds as thick as 4 to 6 ft (1.2-1.8 m) in some places. The Pine Ridge Sandstone is a continental deposit consisting mostly of fluviatile sandstone and is unconformable on the Allen Ridge in most places. The Pine Ridge Sandstone has not yet been positively identified in the Little Snake River coal field. The Almond Formation is largely a sequence of cyclic barrier bar and lagoonal-paludal deposits in which single cycles are commonly represented by thick sandstone beds grading downward into interbedded siltstone, clay-shale, and mudshale and sharply overlain by coal or carbonaceous shale. cases lagoonal-paludal deposits are absent and barrier bar sandstone

is overlain by marine shale at the base of the next cycle. Coal beds as much as 16 ft (4.9 m) thick occur in the Almond Formation in the Little Snake River coal field.

The thickness of the Mesaverde Group in the Little Snake River coal field is believed to vary between 2,350 and 2,750 ft (716 and 838 m). The Haystack Mountain Formation is 750-950 ft (229-290 m) thick. The lower nonmarine portion of the Allen Ridge Formation is estimated to be 1,000-1,200 ft (305-366 m) thick. The total thickness of the interval between the top of the nonmarine rocks of the Allen Ridge and the base of the Lewis Shale is probably between 650 and 750 ft (198-229 m) in most of the coal field and is thought to be close to 675 ft (206 m) in the southeastern part of the Doty Mountain quadrangle.

The Lewis Shale is 2,000-2,500 ft (610-762 m) thick and consists of marine shale and, in the upper part, sandstone.

Most of each hole is in the Almond Formation and the marginal marine deposits of the Allen Ridge Formation. Nonmarine rocks of the Allen Ridge were probably reached in drill-holes DM-D26, DM-D27A, and DM-28 near 625 ft (191 m), 675 ft (206 m), and 505 ft (154 m), respectively, and may have been reached in DM-D18 and DM-D20 near 525 ft (160 m) and 630 ft (192 m). In each hole except DM-D27 a 40-60 ft (12.2-18.3 m) interval of sandstone and siltstone with thin interbeds of mudstone generally occurs below the base of the principal coal zone of the Almond (figure 41) and may be the Pine Ridge Sandstone. The uppermost 37 ft (11.3) of drill-hole DM-D27 are in the Lewis Shale.

Structure near the drill sites

Geologic structure exposed at the surface in the area of the drill sites is subdued. Beds of the Almond Formation dip 10°-20° in westerly directions. Some low-amplitude folds in the area cause slightly steeper or flatter dips and local dip reversals.

Lithologic logs

Lithologic logs of the drill holes are presented on pages 9-101. They are based on sample logs made during drilling and on data collected during later microscope-assisted examination of drill cuttings. Sample quantity and quality generally decreased with increasing hole depths and water injection. Consequently, information in the logs for shallow intervals that were drilled using air injection is generally more reliable than that for deep intervals using air and water. Information from geophysical logs was not used and no depth corrections to compensate for up-hole travel time for cuttings were made in the preparation of the lithologic logs. Occurrence of formation water was noted where it could be distinguished from injected water.

Rocks drilled were classified as sandstone, siltstone, mudstone, claystone, and coal. Coal is applied to readily combustible rocks believed to contain more than 50 percent by weight and more than 70 percent by volume of carbonaceous material (ASTM, p. 70, 1970). Classification of rocks other than coal is based on a scheme by Folk (1954, p. 349-350) with modification of the term mudstone and no use of his terms to describe fissility. Folk uses mudstone for a rock in which the amount of silt and clay is 50 percent or more by weight and the silt:clay ratio is between 2:1 and 1:2. In this paper, the term

mudstone is extended to include rocks containing at least 50 percent silt and clay, but in which the silt:clay ratio is unknown. Although most, if not all, of the mudstone and claystone encountered in the drill holes would probably be described as shale in surface exposures, fissility could not generally be determined from drill cuttings and is not described.

Colors of the rocks drilled are principally shades of gray and brown with some yellowish-orange and reddish- or yellowish-brown iron-oxide staining in rocks from the upper parts of the drill holes. Rock color terms used are from the Rock-Color Chart of the Geological Society of America (Goddard, 1970) and the Munsell Soil Color Chart (1954) and refer to dry samples.

The terms <u>subordinate</u>, <u>trace</u>, <u>some</u>, and <u>numerous</u> are used to describe the amount of a rock type or a rock constituent. <u>Subordinate</u> is used in a relative sense and means a lesser amount of; <u>trace</u> is used to designate an amount that is less than 2 or 3 percent by volume; <u>some</u> for an indefinite amount that is as much as 10 or 15 percent by volume; and <u>numerous</u> for an indefinite amount that is as much as 40 percent by volume.

Sandstone and siltstone are composed mostly of subangular to subrounded detrital grains of quartz and subordinate black and gray chert. Green grains believed to be glauconite were found in trace amounts in many sandstone or siltstone intervals which would attest to the marginal marine depositional environment of a large part of the rocks drilled. Both calcareous and noncalcareous cement occurs in sandstone and siltstone. Noncalcareous cement appears to be the more prevalent type and in most cases is believed to be clay

minerals. Calcareous rocks are generally more strongly cemented than noncalcareous ones. Drilled intervals which offered greater or lesser than average resistance to drilling were described as hard or soft. Hard beds are probably calcite cemented. Estimated relative porosity-permeability of sandstone or siltstone is described as tight or open in the lithologic logs. Sandstone and siltstone described as tight were generally strongly cemented and calcareous.

Authigenic minerals (in addition to calcite) found in the rocks include pyrite, limonite, gypsum, and kaolinite. Pyrite occurs as small spherules. Limonite occurs as coatings on and replacements of pyrite (?). Gypsum is commonly in minute, well-formed crystals. Well-crystallized kaolinite, identified by diffractometer analyses, occurs in small light-colored lenticles and patches in some claystone and mudstone.

Carbonaceous material is ubiquitous in most of the rocks that were drilled. Fine-grained rocks, especially mudstone and claystone, commonly contain finely divided carbonaceous material which imparts a brown to brownish-gray color to the rock. Black coal or brown carbonaceous particles, streaks, and/or laminae, are very common in both sandstone and the finer grained rocks. Particles are angular grains, splinters, chips, or flakes. Streaks are discontinuous laminae, shreds, or the edges of chips or flakes.

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D14

[All measurements in feet; to convert to metres multiply by 0.3048]

Location: Approximately 1,400 ft FEL, 2,600 ft FNL, sec. 4, T. 16 N.,

R. 90 W., 6th P.M., Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,570 ft

Drilling started 10-7-75; completed 10-8-75

Total depth: 450 ft

Air injection drilling 0-422 ft; air and water 422-450 ft

Logged by: S. C. Zimmermann

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, very pale brown (10 YR 7/3), noncalcareous; | | |
| contains some carbonaceous streaks | 0 | 5 |
| Siltstone, light-yellowish-brown (10 YR 6/4), non- | | |
| calcareous, tight; contains some carbonaceous | | , |
| particles | 5 | . 10 |
| Sandstone, very pale brown (10 YR 7/2) to grayish-orange | | |
| (10 YR 7/4), fine-grained, noncalcareous, open | 10 | 15 |
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is yellowish gray | | |
| (2.5 Y 7/2), fine grained, noncalcareous, weakly | | |
| cemented, open. Claystone is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1); | | |
| contains some coal streaks; probably occurs in thin beds | | |
| in the sandstone | 15 | 20 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is light yellowish | | |
| brown (10 YR 6/4), very fine grained, noncalcareous, | | |
| open. Claystone is light brownish gray (10 YR 5/1); | | |
| contains some carbonaceous laminae and a lesser amount | | |
| of siltstone laminae; probably occurs as thin beds in | | |
| the sandstone. Reddish-brown claystone bed near | | |
| 23 ft | 20 | 25 |
| Claystone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains some car- | | |
| bonaceous streaks and a trace of gypsum | 25 | 31 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is pale brown (10 YR | | |
| 6/3), very fine grained, calcareous, strongly cemented, | | |
| tight; contains a trace of glauconite(?). Siltstone | | |
| is dark yellowish orange (10 YR 6/6), slightly cal- | | • |
| careous; contains some carbonaceous streaks | 31 | 35 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and siltstone. Claystone is pale | | |
| yellowish brown (10 YR 6/2); contains numerous car- | | |
| bonaceous streaks. Mudstone is dark yellowish brown | | |
| (10 YR $4/2$); contains numerous coal streaks and | • | |
| particles. Siltstone is grayish orange (10 YR 7/4); | | |
| contains some coal and some brown carbonaceous streaks. | | |
| Dark-yellowish-brown (10 YR 4/2), weakly cemented | | |
| siltstone occurs near bottom of interval | 35 | 43 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains trace of | | |
| pyrite, and near top, some coal particles | 43 | 78.5 |
| Hard bed | 78.5 | 79 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7); contains some coal laminae | | |
| and particles | 79 | 83 |
| Coal | 83 | 87 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae. | | |
| Brownish-red dust mixed with claystone cutfings occurs | | |
| in this and each subsequently described interval to a | | |
| depth of 104.5 ft | 87 | 88 |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), sandy, noncalcareous, | | |
| weakly cemented; contains some carbonaceous laminae; | | |
| with increasing depth grades to light-gray (N7) silt- | | · |
| stone that contains some coal laminae | 88 | 95 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains some coal particles. | | |
| Hard bed about 0.5 ft thick near 97 ft | 95 | 102 |
| Coal | 102 | 104.5 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains some coal particles | 104.5 | 107 |
| Siltstone, medium- to light-gray (N5-7), noncalcareous; | | |
| contains numerous coal particles. Hard bed 108-109 ft- | 107 | 110 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| weakly cemented; contains numerous carbonaceous laminae. | | |
| Claystone is dark gray (N3); contains numerous coal | | |
| streaks; probably occurs in thin beds in the silt- | | |
| stone. Hard, thin bed near 114 ft | 110 | 115 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), weakly cemented; contains some | | |
| coal laminae and particles both of which become more | | |
| abundant with depth | 115 | 125 |
| Coal; contains 0.5 ft clayey parting near 120 ft | 125 | 130 |
| Sandstone, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), very fine | | |
| grained, weakly cemented | 130 | 135 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, weakly to | | |
| strongly cemented, open; contains some coal particles | | • |
| and numerous dark mudstone laminae. Hard bed 138.5- | | |
| 139.5 ft | 135 | 140 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is grayish black (N2); | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae. Siltstone is brownish | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1), weakly cemented; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 140 | 145 |
| Siltstone, claystone, and coal. Siltstone is brownish | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1), weakly cemented; contains some coal | | |
| particles. Claystone is black (NO); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae. Thin beds of coal near 146 ft | 145 | 150 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------|------------------|
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, weakly | | |
| cemented; contains numerous coal laminae | 150 | 155 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains some coal particles. Siltstone is brownish | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1), weakly cemented; may contain coal | | |
| particles | 155 | 157 |
| Coal | 157 | 158 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3), and brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); | | |
| contains some carbonaceous streaks | 158 | 170 |
| Coal | 170 | 183 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3) | 183 | 184 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous | 184 | 186 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | • |
| streaks | 186 | 192 |
| Coal | 192 | 193.5 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| streaks | 193.5 | 194 |
| Sandstone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), very fine | `. | |
| grained, weakly cemented; contains some coal particles- | 194 | 205 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; contains | | |
| numerous coal particles and medium-dark-gray (N4) | | |
| claystone laminae which contain some coal streaks and | | |
| which become more abundant with depth | 205 | 208 |

| Description | Depth (From | ft) To |
|---|-------------|-----------|
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| streaks | 208 | 210 |
| | 200 | 210 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is laminated, light and | | |
| medium dark gray (N7-4). Siltstone is medium light | | |
| gray (N6), noncalcareous, open; contains numerous coal | | |
| particles | 210 | 215 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite and | | |
| some coal particles | 215 | 219 |
| Coal | 219 | 223.5 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, weakly cemented, | | |
| open | 223.5 | 234.5 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains some black coal(?) | | |
| particles and some siltstone laminae | 234.5 | 241 |
| Coal | 241 | 249 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 249 | 250 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), sandy, weakly | | |
| cemented; contains some coal particles | 250 | 274(?) |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains some carbonaceous | - | |
| laminae | 274(?) | 275(?) |
| Sandstone and silty sandstone, medium-gray (N5), very | | |
| fine grained, weakly cemented | 275(?) | 292 |
| Claystone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); contains some coal | | |
| streaks | 292 | 295 |

| | Depth (| ft) |
|--|---------|---------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Sandstone and subordinate siltstone. Sandstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5), very fine and fine-grained, | | |
| weakly cemented; contains some coal particles. | | |
| Siltstone is dark gray (N3); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 295 | 299 |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone is medium gray (N5), | | |
| fine and very fine grained near top to light brownish | | |
| gray (5 YR $6/1$), very fine grained toward bottom, | • | |
| weakly cemented; contains some coal particles. Mud- | | |
| stone is medium dark gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| laminae and an equivalent to greater amount of silt- | | |
| stone and sandstone laminae | 299 | 317 |
| Coal | 317 | `319(?) |
| Claystone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 319(?) | 325 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4). Siltstone is very dark gray (5 YR 3/1), weakly | | |
| cemented | 325 | 330 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae and some very fine grained sandstone laminae | 330 | 336.5 |
| Sandstone, medium-light-gray (N6), very fine grained, | | |
| noncalcareous, weakly to strongly cemented; open; | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae | 336.5 | 338 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| • | 11011 | |
| Siltstone, dark-gray (N3), noncalcareous; contains | | |
| some coal particles | 338 | 339(?) |
| Coal | 339(?) | 340.2 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains some coal particles. Siltstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5), sandy, weakly cemented | 340.2 | 345 |
| Hard bed | 345 | 345.5 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) near top; to dark- | | |
| gray (N3) near middle, to black (N0) near bottom; | | |
| contains coal particles, streaks, and laminae, and | | |
| near top and bottom of interval, thin coal beds | 345.5 | 360 |
| Mudstone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); contains some coal | | |
| laminae | 360 | 375 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; con- | | |
| tains some coal and carbonaceous laminae | 375 | 378.5 |
| Siltstone, as in interval above, and claystone. Claystone | | |
| is dark gray (N3) and contains some coaly layers | • | |
| about 0.2 ft thick | 378.5 | 385 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3), noncalcareous; contains some | | |
| coal laminae | 385 | 390 |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is medium dark gray (N4) | | |
| to black (NO), depending on the abundance of contained | | |
| coal laminae. Coal bed 392-393 ft | 390 | 395 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|--|---------------|------------|
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains some coal laminae | 395 | 401 |
| Coal? | 401 | 402 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains some coal | | |
| particles | 402 | 410 |
| Mudstone and sandstone. Mudstone is medium dark gray (N4), | 402 | 410 |
| | | |
| contains some coal particles, and occurs near top of | | |
| interval. Sandstone is light gray (N7), very fine | | |
| grained, noncalcareous, open; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 410 | 415 |
| Sandstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), very fine grained, | | |
| weakly cemented | 415 | 422 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained; contains | | |
| some coal laminae | 422 | 425 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae and particles | 425 | 430 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above, and sandstone. Sandstone | | |
| is light gray (N7), very fine grained, slightly cal- | | |
| careous, open; contains some coal particles | 430 | 435 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and siltstone. Claystone is medium | | |
| gray (N5); contains some black coal(?) particles. | | |
| Mudstone is medium dark gray (N4); contains numerous | | |
| coal streaks. Siltstone is light gray (N7); contains | | |
| some coal particles | 435 | 440 |

| Description . | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous coal streaks | 440 | 445 |
| Sandstone, very light gray (N8), very fine grained, | 445 | 450 |
| noncalcareous, open; contains some coal laminae Total depth - 450 ft. | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D18

[Intervals marked with a single askerisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. Intervals marked with a double asterisk (**) are intervals in which formation penetration by the drill was more rapid than in other intervals. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048.]

Location: Approximately 1,650 ft FWL and 1,950 ft FSL, sec. 15, T. 16 N.,

R. 90 W., 6th P.M., Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,710 ft

Drilling started 9-25-75; completed 9-27-75

Total depth: 610 ft

Air injection drilling 0-378 ft; air and water 378-610 ft

Logged by: S. C. Zimmermann

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|--|---------------|------------|
| Siltstone, grayish-orange (10 YR 7/4) to pale-yellowish- | | |
| orange (10 YR 8/6), calcareous; contains carbonaceous | | |
| particles | 0 | . 6 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is yellowish gray | | |
| (10 YR 7/1) to light yellowish brown (10 YR 6/4), silty; | | |
| contains carbonaceous streaks and, near bottom of | | |
| interval, is interlayered(?) with light- to medium- | | |
| yellowish-brown (10 Y/5-5/5), calcareous siltstone | | |
| containing carbonaceous streaks | 6 | 13 |
| Mudstone, medium-light-gray (N6), with pale-yellowish- | | |
| orange (10 YR 8/6) streaks | 13 | 15 |
| Siltstone, moderate-yellowish-brown (10 YR 5/6), clayey | 15 | 16 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) To |
|--|---------|-----------|
| Claystone, light-olive-gray (5 Y 5/2) to olive-gray | | |
| (5 Y 3/2), with yellowish-orange-stained partings, | | |
| silty; contains gypsum | 16 | 19 |
| Siltstone and/or mudstone, moderate-yellowish-brown | | |
| (10 YR 5/5), sandy. Coarse-silt-size material | | |
| includes carbonaceous particles, gypsum, and | | |
| glauconite(?) | 19 | 22.5 |
| Siltstone, moderate-yellowish-brown (10 YR 5/5), sandy; | • | |
| contains carbonaceous particles and gypsum | 22.5 | 25(?) |
| Mudstone, dark-yellowish-orange (10 YR 6/6) and | | |
| yellowish-gray (10 YR 7/1); contains some limonitic | | |
| grains, some carbonaceous particles and, near the | | |
| top, a trace of gypsum | 25(?) | 35(?) |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains carbonaceous | | |
| particles and limonitic grains | 35(?) | 39 |
| Sandstone, light- to moderate-light-yellowish-brown | | |
| (10 YR 6/5-5/5), silty; contains some carbonaceous | | |
| particles and a trace of glauconite(?) | 39 | 40 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), very fine grained, noncalcareous, weakly | | |
| cemented; grades to siltstone toward bottom of | | |
| interval. Thin, grayish-orange (10 YR 7/4) sandy | | |
| siltstone bed near 48 ft | 40 | 57 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), very fine grained | 57 | 59 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), silty, very fine grained, | | |
| slightly calcareous | 59 | 61 |
| Claystone, medium- to dark-gray (N5-3), silty; contains | | |
| some light-colored siltstone laminae | 51 | 65 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), silty, very fine grained, | | |
| slightly calcareous, open | 65 | 65.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), slightly calcareous, | • | |
| strongly cemented, open; contains some carbonaceous | | |
| particles | 65.5 | 69 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray (N5), silty, very fine grained, | | |
| slightly calcareous, strongly cemented; contains some | | |
| carbonaceous particles and a trace of glauconite(?) | | • |
| and pyrite | 69 | 71 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark or dark-gray (N4-N3), slightly | | |
| brown; contains numerous carbonaceous streaks and | | |
| particles | 71 . | 75 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks and a trace of pyrite | 75 | 104.5 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and sandstone. Sandstone | | |
| is light gray (N7), very fine grained. Sandstone and | | |
| claystone seem to be interbedded and the sandstone- | | |
| claystone ratio appears to increase with depth | 104.5 | 110 |

| Description | Depth (From | (ft) To |
|---|-----------------|------------|
| <u>bescription</u> | TIOM | 10 |
| Sandstone or siltstone and subordinate claystone. | | |
| Sandstone or siltstone is light gray (N7); contains | | |
| some carbonaceous particles. Claystone is medium | | |
| to dark gray (N5-3); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks and a trace of pyrite. The claystone appears | | |
| to be interbedded with the sandstone or siltstone. | | |
| Amount of claystone increases with depth | 110 | 115 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), clayey, noncal- | | |
| careous; contains numerous coal particles and some | | |
| carbonaceous laminae | 115 | 117 |
| Coal | 117 | 118 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), clayey, noncal- | | |
| careous; contains numerous coal particles and some | | |
| carbonaceous laminae | 118 | 123.5 |
| Coal and black (NO) claystone with numerous coal | | |
| laminae | 123.5 | 124 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray to grayish-black (N5-N2); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae | 124 | 125 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|---|---------------|-------|
| | | 10 |
| Sandstone, silty, very fine grained near top of | | |
| interval, grades to siltstone toward bottom, very | | |
| light gray (N8), slightly calcareous, weakly cemented, | | |
| except for hard bed, 127.5-128 ft; contains some | | |
| carbonaceous streaks | 125 | 132 |
| Sandstone and siltstone, as in interval above, and | | |
| claystone. Claystone is medium dark gray (N4), | | ش |
| silty; contains carbonaceous streaks, appears to be | | _ |
| interlaminated with the siltstone and sandstone | 132 | 133 |
| Claystone and mudstone. Claystone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4), silty; contains carbonaceous streaks and some | | |
| coal particles; grades to dark-gray to medium-dark- | | • |
| gray (N3-4) mudstone with increasing depth | 133 | 142 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained, and coarse-grained silt- | | 7 |
| stone, light-gray to medium-gray (N7-5), weakly | | - |
| cemented; contains carbonaceous particles | 142 | 173 |
| Coal and black (NO) claystone with numerous coal laminae- | 173 | 176.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), noncalcareous; con- | | |
| tains numerous coal particles | 176.5 | 180 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), weakly cemented; | | |
| contains carbonaceous streaks | 180 | 185 |

| | Depth (| (ft) |
|---|---------|-------|
| Description | From | To |
| Siltstone and subordinate mudstone. Siltstone is | | |
| brownish gray (5 YR $4/1$), sandy, weakly cemented. | | |
| Mudstone is medium to medium dark gray (N5-4). | | |
| Hard bed 188-188.5 ft | 185 | 191 |
| Coal | 191 | 192.5 |
| Siltstone, sandy, and/or sandstone, light-brownish-gray | | |
| to gray (5 YR 5/1-6/1), weakly cemented | 192.5 | 200 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some carbon- | | |
| aceous streaks and a trace of pyrite | 200 | 201 |
| Mudstone, black (NO), with numerous coal laminae near | | |
| top, brownish black (5 YR 2/1) toward middle, medium | | |
| dark gray (N4) near bottom | 201 | 210 |
| Siltstone and subordinate mudstone. Siltstone is light | | • |
| brownish gray (5 YR 5/1), weakly cemented. Mudstone | | |
| is medium gray (N5), very thinly light and dark gray | | |
| laminated; contains some coal streaks. Hard bed | | |
| 211-211.5 ft | 210 | 215 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some sandstone | • | |
| laminae | 215 | 218 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), slightly calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented; contains pyrite | 218 | 222 |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|--|-------|------|
| Description | From | To |
| Siltstone and subordinate mudstone, coal, and clay- | | |
| stone. Siltstone is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1), sandy, | | |
| weakly cemented. Thin coal and black (NO) mudstone | | |
| beds occur near 225.5 ft and brownish-black (5YR 4/1) | | |
| silty claystone near bottom of interval | 222 | 231 |
| Coal | 231 | 247 |
| Siltstone, medium-brownish-gray to brownish-gray (5 YR | | |
| 5-4/1), weakly cemented, sandy near top | 247 | 253 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3) | 253 | 254 |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8); contains thin carbon- | | |
| aceous laminae, and, near 256 ft, a trace of pyrite | 254 | 257 |
| Siltstone and thin coal beds. Most siltstone is brown- | | |
| ish gray (5 YR $4/1$), weakly cemented; contains some | | • |
| carbonaceous particles. Some siltstone is very light | | |
| gray (N8), calcareous, strongly cemented. Thin coal | | |
| beds near 259 ft and 262 ft | 257 | 280 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3), silty | 280 | 288 |
| Coal | 288 | 292 |
| Siltstone, black (NO), very coaly | 292 | 294* |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3), silty | 294 | 300* |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), sandy | 300 | 306 |
| Coal | 306 | 318 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5YR 2/1) | 318 | 320 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) <u>To</u> |
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| Sandstone or siltstone, and subordinate claystone and | | |
| mudstone. Silty sandstone or sandy siltstone, in most | | |
| of interval is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1), weakly cemented | i; | |
| contains some coal particles. Light-gray (N7), non- | | |
| calcareous, strongly cemented, tight, sandy siltstone, | | |
| laminated with carbonaceous material occurs between | | |
| 340 and 345 ft. Thin claystone bed near 333 ft, and | , | |
| dark-brownish-gray (5 YR 3/1) mudstone with coal | | |
| streaks between 345 to 350 ft | 320 | 350 |
| Sandstone (or siltstone), claystone, and mudstone, as | | |
| in interval above, and medium-light-gray (N6) cal- | | |
| careous siltstone | 350 | 355 |
| Siltstone and subordinate claystone. Siltstone is dark | | |
| brownish gray (5 YR 3/1), sandy, weakly cemented; | | • |
| contains some coal particles. Claystone is black | | |
| (NO), very coaly, and may occur as thin interbeds in | | |
| the siltstone | 355 | 360 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is brownish gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1), sandy, very fine grained, weakly cemented; | | • |
| contains some coal particles. Siltstone is very | - | |
| light gray (N8), sandy; contains some coal laminae | 360 | 365* |
| Sandstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), very fine grained, | | |
| weakly cemented; contains some coal and a trace of | | |
| pyrite | 365 | 370* |
| No sample recovery | 370 | 375 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|--------------------|
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8) with medium-gray (N5) laminations, very fine | | |
| grained; contains some coal laminae. Claystone is | | |
| dark gray (N3), silty; contains some thin coal layers; | , | |
| appears to occur in thin beds in the sandstone | 375 | 380 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained; contains | | |
| some coal laminae and a trace of pyrite | 380 | 390 |
| No sample recovery; rapid formation penetration by drill | | |
| except for interval 395-396.3 ft occupied by a hard | | |
| bed | 390 | 413 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3), coaly and coal | 413 | 417* |
| Claystone or mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), coaly | 417 | 420 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is light gray (N7); | | • |
| contains carbonaceous laminae. Mudstone is brownish | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1). Hard bed 422-423 ft | 420 | 423 |
| No sample recovery | 423 | 451 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and coal. Claystone is black (NO), | | |
| coaly; contains a trace of gypsum, grades to dark- | | |
| brownish-gray (5 YR 3/1) claystone. Mudstone is dark | | |
| gray (N3) | 451 | 455 * * |
| Claystone, black (NO), with some coaly laminae and a trace | | |
| of gypsum, and brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1) | 455 | 460 [‡] * |
| Mudstone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains coal | | |
| laminae | 460 | 465 [*] * |

| | Depth | |
|--|-------|----------------|
| Description | From | To |
| Claystone, black (NO) to medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| some coal laminae | 465 | 470 * * |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4) near top to brownish- | | |
| gray (5 YR 4/1) near bottom of interval; contains | | |
| coal streaks near bottom | 470 | 480 |
| Claystone and subordinate siltstone. Claystone is | | |
| brownish black (5 YR 2/1); contains coal laminae and | | |
| particles. Siltstone is light brownish gray | • | |
| (5 YR 6/1); contains coal laminae | 480 | 485 |
| Claystone and subordinate siltstone. Claystone is black | | |
| (NO), very coaly; contains a trace of gypsum. Silt- | | |
| stone is light brownish gray (5 YR 6/1); contains | | |
| coal laminae | 485 | 492 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium gray (N5) and | | |
| siltstone is medium light gray (N6); both contain some | | |
| coal laminae. Soft except for hard bed 494-494.5 ft | 492 | 495** |
| Claystone and sandstone. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1), very coaly. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained; contains coal laminae | 495 | 500 * * |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5); contains coal particles. | | |
| Hard bed 500.5-501.5 ft | 500 | 505 |
| Siltstone, sandy, light-gray (N7), strongly cemented | 505 | 507 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains coal particles | 507 | 510 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1). Siltstone is medium light gray (N6); | | |
| contains coaly laminae. Claystone and siltstone appear | | |
| to be interstratified | 510 | 515 * * |
| Claystone and/or mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains some | | |
| light-gray (N8) siltstone laminae | 515 | 520 |
| Claystone, black (NO), very coaly | 520 | 525 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is black (NO), coaly, | | |
| and medium dark gray (N4), with carbonaceous streaks. | | |
| Siltstone is dark gray (N3) | 525 | 530 |
| Claystone, medium-gray to light-gray (N6) to medium- | | |
| dark-gray (N4); contains coal streaks and a lesser | | |
| amount.of black (NO), very coaly claystone | 530 | 535* |
| Coal and subordinate claystone. Claystone is similar to | | |
| claystone in interval above. Mostly coal 535-539 ft.? | | |
| Hard bed near 539 ft | 535 | 540* |
| Coal, mudstone, and subordinate claystone. Mudstone is | | |
| medium light gray (N6). Claystone is grayish black | | |
| (N2), coaly | 540 | 545* |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|--|-------|------|
| Description | From | To |
| Claystone, siltstone, and sandstone. Claystone is | | |
| black (NO), coaly, and medium gray (N5). Siltstone | | |
| is very light gray (N8). Sandstone is light gray | | |
| (N7) | 545 | 550* |
| No sample recovery; rapid formation penetration 578- | | |
| 610 ft | 550 | 610 |
| Total depth - 610 ft | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D20

[Intervals marked with a single asterisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. Intervals marked with a double asterisk (**) are intervals in which formation penetration by the drill was more rapid than in other intervals. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048.]

Location: 100 ft FEL, 100 ft FSL, sec. 20, T. 16 N., R. 90 W., 6th P.M.,

Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,360 ft

Drilling started 9-29-75; completed 10-1-75

Total depth: 680 ft

Air injection drilling 0-170 ft; air and water 170-680 ft

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| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and mudstone, moderate-yellowish-brown | | |
| (10 YR 5/4) | 0 | . 3 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5) | 3 | 5 |
| Coal, dark-brownish-gray (5 YR 3/1); strongly weathered | 5 | 6.5 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is very pale orange | | |
| (10 YR $8/2$) to dark yellowish orange (10 YR $6/6$), very | | |
| fine grained, noncalcareous. Siltstone is light gray | | |
| (N7). Both contain some carbonaceous particles and | | |
| limonitic grains | 6.5 | 16 |
| Siltstone, weak-yellowish-orange (10 YR 7/5), strongly | | |
| cemented; contains some limonitic grains | 16 | 18 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|--|---------------|------------|
| Siltstone, dark-yellowish-orange (10 YR 6/6) and pale- | | |
| yellowish-orange (10 YR 8/6), medium-dark-gray (N4) | | |
| near bottom of interval | 18 | 27 |
| Coal | 27 | 27.5 |
| Claystone, olive-gray (5 Y 4/1); contains some limonitic | | |
| silt-size grains | 27.5 | 30 |
| Siltstone, dark-yellowish-orange (10 YR 6/6) to medium- | | |
| dark-gray (N4); contains some carbonaceous streaks; | | |
| water in hole | 30 | 35 |
| Mudstone and claystone, medium-gray (N5) to dark-gray | | |
| (N3); contains some carbonaceous streaks and a trace | | |
| of pyrite; becomes black (NO) and coaly at base | 35 | 49 |
| Coal, water-bearing | 49 | 50 |
| Mudstone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); contains coal | | |
| particles and laminae | 50 | 54 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, strongly | | |
| cemented in uppermost 1 ft; contains carbonaceous | | |
| particles and coaly laminae | 54 | 58 |
| Claystone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); silty and contains | | |
| carbonaceous streaks near top; thin sandstone bed near | | |
| 60 ft | 58 | 67 |
| Coal | 67 | 73 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) to dark-gray (N3); | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae near top | 73 | 75 |

| | Depth (ft) | |
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| Description | From | To |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, strongly | | |
| cemented; contains some coal particles and laminae | 75 | 77 |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained; grades to medium-gray (N5) mud- | | |
| stone near bottom of interval. Both contain some | | |
| coal particles and laminae | 77 | 81.5 |
| Siltstone and mudstone, very light gray (N7) to medium- | | |
| dark-gray (N4); contain coal particles. Siltstone | | |
| and mudstone appear to be interlaminated | 81.5 | 85 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains trace of | | |
| pyrite. Thin hard beds near 87 ft and 92 ft. Bed | | |
| near 92 ft is calcareous siltstone | 85 | 94 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), and medium-gray (N5) mud- | | • |
| stone; both contain some coal particles. Siltstone | | |
| and mudstone appear to be interlaminated | 94 | 95 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains a trace of | | |
| pyrite and some carbonaceous streaks | 95 | 101 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented | 101 | 102 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, cal- | | |
| careous, open | 102 | 113.5 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) To |
|--|---------|-----------|
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), weakly cemented; contains | | |
| carbonaceous laminae and some soft yellowish-orange | | |
| (10 YR 6/6) grains which may be iron oxide after | | |
| pyrite | 113.5 | 115 |
| Siltstone, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), weakly | | |
| cemented | 115 | 120 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), grades to medium-gray | | |
| (N5) mudstone near bottom of interval | 120 | 132.5 |
| | 120 | 132.3 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), weakly cemented; con- | | |
| tains some glauconite(?) and a trace of pyrite. | | |
| Interval may also contain some medium-brownish-gray | | |
| (5 YR $5/1$) siltstone which becomes sandy near bottom. | | |
| Hole wet | 132.5 | 150 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained; contains | | |
| some coaly laminae and, near top, glauconite(?) | 150 | 160* |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7) to medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| some coal laminae | 160 | 165 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains carbonaceous | | |
| streaks and light-gray siltstone laminae | 165 | 169(?) |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained and fine- | | |
| grained, calcareous near top of interval, open; con- | | |
| tains carbonaceous streaks near bottom | 169(?) | 189 |
| Claystone, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1). Hard bed | | |
| 195-195.2 ft; may be light gray, very fine grained | | |
| calcareous, tight sandstone | 189 | 195.2 |
| | | |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains carbonaceous material and a trace of | | |
| pyrite; grades to light-gray (N7) calcareous siltstone- | 195.2 | 199 |
| Hard bed; may be light-gray (N7), very fine grained, cal- | | |
| careous, tight sandstone | 199 | 200 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light olive gray | | |
| (5 Y 6/1); contains carbonaceous particles; grades to | | |
| dark-gray (N3) claystone | 200 | 205 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some pyrite. | | |
| Hard bed 209-209.5 ft | 205 | 229* |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), strongly cemented; contains | | |
| coal laminae | 229 | 232 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), strongly cemented; | | • |
| contains some pyrite | 232 | 234 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7); contains coal laminae and | | |
| dark-yellowish-orange (10 YR 6/6) limonitic grains | 234 | 239 |
| Mudstone and claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains | | |
| coal laminae | 239 | 243 |
| Siltstone and sandstone. Siltstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains coal laminae and brown carbonaceous laminae; | | |
| grades to light-gray (N7), very fine grained silty | | |
| sandstone which contains coal laminae | 243 | 247 |

| Description | Depth (: From | ft) To |
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| | <u> </u> | 10 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3) to medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| coal streaks | 247 | 250 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1), grades(?) to medium-dark-gray (N4) silt- | | |
| stone which contains carbonaceous streaks | 250 | 254 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7) | | |
| and very fine grained, both noncalcareous and cal- | | |
| careous; contains glauconite(?) grains and coal | | |
| laminae; grades to medium-gray (N5) siltstone with | | |
| depth | 254 | 259 |
| Hard bed | 259 | 259.5 |
| Claystone, olive-black (5 Y 2/1) and black (NO); contains | | |
| coal laminae | 259.5 | . 263(?) |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), grades to medium-gray | | |
| (N5) mudstone with siltstone laminae near bottom of | | |
| Interval | 263(?) | 270 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR $2/1$). Siltstone is medium dark gray (N4) where | | |
| it contains finely divided carbonaceous material and | | |
| light gray (N7) where it only contains some carbon- | | |
| aceous streaks | 270 | 275 |
| Coal | 275 | 279 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is black (NO); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae; grades to medium-dark- | | |
| gray (N4) clayey siltstone near bottom of interval | 279 | 282 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, dark-gray (N3), clayey, interlaminated with | | |
| light-gray (N7) coarser siltstone | 282 | 290 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3) | 290 | 299 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), both calcareous tight and | | |
| noncalcareous open; contains carbonaceous streaks and | | 1 |
| light-gray (N7) laminae | 299 | 307 |
| Coal | 307 | 308 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and siltstone. Claystone is black | | 1 |
| (NO); contains numerous coal laminae and a trace of | | |
| pyrite; grades to brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) mudstone, | | |
| which contains coal particles and carbonized plant | | |
| fragments. Mudstone grades to light-gray (N7) cal- | | |
| careous siltstone | 308 | 315 |
| Coal and subordinate dark-gray (N3) claystone, which | | |
| contains some coal laminae and a trace of pyrite. | | |
| The claystone occurs near top of interval | 315 | 320 |
| Claystone, black (NO) and contains numerous coal laminae | | |
| near top of interval; grades to dark-gray (N3) clay- | | |
| stone near bottom | 320 | 330 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1) and dark gray (N3); contains some coal | | |
| laminae and some siltstone laminae. Siltstone is light | | |
| gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; contains coal par- | | |
| ticles and laminae. Claystone and siltstone appear | | |
| to be interbedded with claystone predominant near top | | |
| and siltstone predominant near bottom of interval | 330 | 344 |
| Siltstone, interlaminated light-gray (N7) and medium-gray | | |
| (N5); becomes clayey near bottom of interval | 344 | 355 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is brownish black (5 YR | | |
| 2/1); contains numerous carbonaceous streaks and a trace | | |
| of pyrite. Siltstone is medium gray (N5); contains | | |
| some carbonaceous streaks | 355 | . 360 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7); | | |
| both noncalcareous with some coal laminae and limonitic | | |
| grains and calcareous with a trace of pyrite. Clay- | | |
| stone is medium dark gray (N4); contains carbonaceous | | |
| streaks | 360 | 365 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is interlaminated, | | |
| light gray (N7) and medium dark gray (N4); contains | | |
| numerous carbonaceous streaks in the dark-gray laminae. | | |
| Mudstone is brownish black (5 YR 2/1) | 365 | 370 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Sandstone, siltstone, and claystone. Sandstone is | | |
| light gray (N7), very fine grained, calcareous. | | |
| Siltstone is medium gray (N5); contains numerous | | |
| very thin carbonaceous laminae. Claystone is | | |
| brownish black (5 YR 2/1); contains pyrite | 370 | 375 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains pyrite; grades to brownish-black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1) claystone | 375 | 380 |
| Siltstone and sandstone. Siltstone is medium light gray | | |
| (N6), sandy, slightly calcareous, open; contains | | |
| carbonaceous particles; grades downward to light-gray | | |
| (N7), very fine grained, slightly calcareous, open, | | |
| silty sandstone. Sandstone and siltstone contain thin | | • |
| beds of dark-gray (N3) mudstone, which contains coal | | |
| and light-colored siltstone laminae, and dark-gray (N3) | | |
| to brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) claystone. Hard bed 338- | | |
| 390 ft | 380 | 390 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); | | |
| contains coal laminae; appears to be interlaminated | | |
| with light-gray (N7) siltstone | 390 | 395 |

| Description | Depth (: From | ft) To |
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| Mudstone, claystone, and siltstone. Mudstone is | | |
| brownish gray (5 YR 4/1); contains white siltstone | | |
| laminae. Siltstone is medium gray (N5); contains | | |
| carbonaceous laminae and limonitic grains. Claystone | | |
| is dark gray (N3) | 395 | 400 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous; contains | | |
| limonitic grains and, below 402 ft, coal laminae | 400 | 404(?) |
| Claystone, dark-brownish-gray (5 YR 3/1); contains coal | | |
| streaks | 404(?) | 407 |
| Coal | 407 | 414 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 414 | 417 |
| Siltstone, interlaminated and interbedded(?) medium- | | |
| light-gray (N6) and medium-dark-gray (N4), sandy; | | |
| darker layers contain coal laminae and carbonaceous | | |
| material; lighter layers are noncalcareous, open | 417 | 420 |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone, very light gray (N8), | | |
| very fine grained, appears to be interlaminated with | | |
| and to grade to dark-gray (N3) sandy mudstone; dark | × | |
| rocks contain coal laminae | - 420 | 425 |

| • | Depth | (ft) |
|---|-------|----------------|
| Description | From | To |
| Sandstone and siltstone, and claystone. Very fine | | |
| grained sandstone or coarse-grained siltstone is | | |
| light gray (N7), calcareous; contains coal and | | |
| carbonaceous laminae. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1); contains coal laminae and some well- | | , |
| crystallized kaolinite | 425 | 430 |
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), very fine grained, slightly calcareous to very | | |
| calcareous; contains coal laminae, limonitic grains | | |
| and glauconite(?). Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains coal streaks | 430 | 435* |
| Sandstone and subordinate claystone. Sandstone is very | | |
| light gray (N8), very fine grained or fine grained, | | |
| noncalcareous, open, weakly cemented; contains num- | | |
| erous particles of coal. Claystone is medium dark | | |
| gray (N4); contains coaly(?) particles and a trace | | |
| of pyrite | 435 | 440* |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 440 | 445 * * |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained, slightly calcareous, open. Mud- | | |
| stone is brownish black (10 YR 2/1). Both contain | | |
| coal laminae | 445 | 450* |

| | Depth (| ft) |
|---|---------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained, calcareous; contains limonitic | | |
| grains. Mudstone is medium to medium light gray | | |
| (N5-6); contains coal and carbonaceous streaks | 450 | 462.5* |
| Sandstone, dark-gray (N3), very fine grained, muddy, | | , |
| noncalcareous, tight; contains coal laminae | 462.5 | 464 |
| Sandstone, medium-light-gray (N6), very fine grained, | | |
| slightly calcareous, strongly cemented, tight | 464 | 465 |
| Sandstone and mudstone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), very fine grained, slightly calcareous. Mud- | | |
| stone is medium gray (N5). Both contain coal laminae. | | |
| Mudstone and sandstone appear to be interlaminated | 465 | 484 |
| Claystone and mudstone. Claystone is brownish black | | • |
| (5 YR 2/1); contains numerous coal laminae; near 488 ft | | |
| grades downward to medium-dark-gray (N4) mudstone with | | |
| coal particles | 484 | 492.5 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), sandy, noncalcareous, tight | 492.5 | 495 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains light-gray (N4) | • | |
| siltstone laminae, coal particles, and pyrite | 495 | 500 |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented | 500 | 503.5 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained | 503.5 | 506.5 |

| Decemberdan | Depth | |
|--|-------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Mudstone, claystone, and coal. Mudstone is medium dark | | |
| gray (N4); contains coal streaks and laminae; grades | | |
| to brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) to black (NO) coaly clay- | | |
| stone near 515 ft. Coal bed 512-514.5 ft | 506.5 | 525 |
| Mudstone, siltstone, and a thin coal bed. Mudstone is | | \ |
| medium dark gray (N4). Siltstone is light gray (N7); | | |
| contains coal and carbonaceous laminae and limonitic | | |
| grains. Coal bed 527.5-532 ft | 525 | 532 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3) to black (NO) where very | | |
| coaly | 532 | 534 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, calcareous; | | |
| contains coal laminae and pyrite | 534 | 535 |
| Mudstone, dark-brownish-gray (5 YR 3/1); contains coal | | • |
| streaks | 535 | 540 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3), and grayish-black (N2) clay- | | |
| stone; both contain coal laminae | 540 | 546 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| noncalcareous, except near bottom of interval; contains | • | |
| coal laminae near top. Claystone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains coal laminae. Siltstone and claystone | | |
| appear to be interbedded | 546 | 566* |
| Coal | 566 | 568(?) |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone, black (NO) to medium-gray (N5) near bottom | | |
| of interval; contains numerous coal laminae near top | 568(?) | 570 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), open, calcareous in upper half of interval, | | |
| noncalcareous in lower half; contains carbonaceous | | |
| particles and coal laminae near bottom. Claystone is | | 1 |
| medium dark gray (N4); contains coaly particles and | | |
| is very thinly laminated with light-colored siltstone | | |
| near bottom | 570 | 582* |
| Claystone, black (NO), very coaly, especially near top | | |
| and bottom of interval | 582 | 587(?) |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), black (NO) where very | | |
| coaly; may contain some siltstone laminae or beds | | |
| near bottom of interval | 587(?) | 614 |
| Siltstone, light- to medium-light-gray (N7-6); contains | | |
| coal laminae | 614 | 620(?) |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, calcareous, | | |
| open; contains coal laminae | 620(*) | 622.5(?) |
| Mudstone in upper part, claystone in lower part of inter- | | |
| val. Mudstone is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1) to medium | | |
| dark gray (N4); contains abundant coal laminae near | | |
| top. Claystone is medium gray (N5); contains black | | |
| (coaly?) particles. Soft bed near 628 ft | 622.5(? |) 631** |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Sandstone, claystone, mudstone, and coal(?). Sandstone | - | |
| | | |
| is light gray (N7), very fine grained, calcareous, | | |
| strongly cemented; contains carbonaceous laminae. | | |
| Claystone is medium gray (N5). Mudstone is medium | | |
| dark gray (N4); contains numerous coal laminae. | | |
| Thin coal near 636 ft? | 631 | 642 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| noncalcareous, open; contains coal laminae. Mudstone | | |
| is mostly medium light gray (N6) with Subordinate dark | | |
| gray (N3) portion | 642 | 655 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains coal streaks and | | |
| pyrite | 655 | 660 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some light-gray | | • |
| siltstone laminae | 660 | 665 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), slightly calcareous; contains | | |
| coal partcles and limonitic grains | 665 | 670 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4)-= | 670 | 675 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4). Siltstone is medium light gray (N6), calcareous, | | |
| open; contains some carbonaceous streaks | 675 | 680 |
| Total depth - 680 ft. | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hold DM-D22

[Intervals marked with a single asterisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. Intervals marked with a double asterisk (**) are intervals in which formation penetration by the drill was more rapid than in other intervals. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048.]

Location: 200 ft FEL, 300 ft FSL, sec. 24, T. 16 N., R. 91 W., 6th P.M.,

Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,205 ft

Drilling started 10-2-75; completed 10-6-75

Total depth: 650 ft

Air injection drilling 0-336 ft; air and water 336-650 ft

Logged by: S. C. Zimmermann

| Description | Depth (ft) From | To |
|---|-----------------|------|
| Sandstone | 0 | 1.5* |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), slightly calcareous, | | |
| strongly cemented; contains some coal particles | 1.5 | 3* |
| Claystone, silty, reddish-brown with medium-gray streaks; | | |
| becomes yellowish orange to yellowish brown with increas- | - | |
| ing depth | 3 | 8* |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3), coaly | 8 | 10* |
| Sandstone, yellowish-orange, very fine grained; contains | ~ | |
| carbonaceous particles | 10 | 12* |
| Claystone, pale-brown (10 YR 5/2); contains some black | | |
| (NO) (coaly?) particles | .12 | 17 |
| Siltstone, light-reddish-brown, strongly cemented | 17 | 18* |

| | Depth (ft) | |
|---|------------|------|
| Description | From | To |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some black | | |
| (NO) (coaly?) particles | 18 | 26* |
| Coal | 26 | 27 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), coaly near top of | | |
| interval | 27 | 30 ' |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous; contains some | | |
| coal and carbonaceous streaks | 30 | 31 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented | 31 | 32 |
| Claystone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 32 | 35 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some coal particles- | 35 | 40 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray to dark-gray (N4-3); contains | | • |
| some black (NO) (coaly?) particles and coal streaks | 40 | 42.5 |
| Coal | 42.5 | 48.5 |
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained, noncalcareous. Claystone is medium | | |
| dark gray (N4) | 48.5 | 50 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
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| Sandstone, siltstone, and subordinate (?) claystone. | | |
| Sandstone is very fine grained and siltstone is coarse | | |
| grained; both are light gray (N7), calcareous, and | | |
| appear to be interlaminated with medium-dark-gray (N4) | | |
| claystone | 50 | 62 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4) | 62 | 65 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and siltstone. Siltstone | | |
| is light gray (N7), calcareous, open, and appears to | | |
| occur as thin beds in the claystone | 65 | 70 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and sandstone. Sandstone | | |
| is light gray (N7), very fine grained, slightly cal- | | |
| careous, open, and appears to occur as thin beds in | | |
| the claystone. Hard, calcareous, very fine grained | | • |
| sandstone near 75 ft | 70 | 75 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| calcareous; contains some mudstone laminae which | | |
| increase in amount with increasing depth; grades to | | |
| mudstone near bottom of interval | 75 | 90 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains numerous coal | | |
| streaks | 90 | 95 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4) | 95 | 104 |
| Silstone, medium-gray (N5), noncalcareous; contains | | |
| some pyrite, coal particles, and a trace of | | |
| glauconite(?) | 104 | 115 |

| <u>Description</u> | Depth (f | t) <u>To</u> |
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| Mudstone or clayey siltstone, medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| some coal particles and a trace of pyrite | 115 | 120 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, cal- | | |
| careous, open; contains some muddy carbonaceous | | |
| laminae below 127 ft | 120 | 132 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), calcareous; contains | | |
| numerous carbonaceous streaks | 132 | 133 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), fine-grained, weakly | | |
| cemented | 113 | 138.5(?) |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), calcareous; contains | | |
| some coal particles | 138.5(?) | 141 |
| Siltstone, as in interval above, and claystone. Claystone | | |
| is dark gray (N3); contains numerous coal streaks. | | |
| Claystone appears to occur as laminations in the | | |
| siltstone and the amount of claystone increases with | | |
| depth | 141 | 146 |
| Siltstone, mudstone, and claystone. Siltstone is medium | | |
| gray (N5), calcareous; contains numerous carbonaceous | | |
| laminae, and some coal particles. Mudstone is medium | | |
| gray (N5); contains some coal particles. Claystone | | |
| is medium gray (N5); contains numerous coal streaks. | | |
| Hole wet | 146 | 150 |

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| Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D22 - continued | (Donah | /£L) |
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| Description | (Depth From | <u>To</u> |
| Claystone and subordinate siltstone. Claystone is | 3 | |
| medium dark gray (N4); contains some coal laminae | | |
| and a trace of pyrite. Siltstone in thin beds | | |
| between 184 and 186 ft is light gray (N7), slightly | | |
| calcareous, and contains a trace of pyrite. Thin | | |
| hard beds near 151.5 ft, 166 ft, 191 ft, and | | |
| 195 ft | 150 | 196 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7); contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae | 196 | 198.5 |
| Coal | 198.5 | 201 |
| Siltstone, medium- to light-gray (N5-7); contains | | |
| numerous mudstone laminae, some coal streaks and | | |
| 1aminae | 201 | 210 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | | |
| near bottom of interval | 210 | 212.5 |
| Coal | 212.5 | 215 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae- | 215 | 217 |
| Siltstone, weakly cemented, medium-gray (N5) | 217 | 220.5 |
| Claystone, silty or sandy, grades to mudstone; dark- | | |
| gray (N3); contains numerous coal particles near | | |
| top of interval | 220.5 | 226.5 |

| Description | Depth (| |
|--|---------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is black (NO) to brown- | | |
| ish black (5 YR 2/1); contains numerous coal laminae | | |
| in upper part of interval. Thin coal bed near 226.5 | | |
| ft | 226.5 | 230 |
| Sandstone and subordinate siltstone. Sandstone is medium | | |
| gray (N5), very fine grained; contains numerous coal | | |
| particles and laminae. Siltstone is dark gray (N3) | | |
| and appears to be interbedded with the sandstone | 230 | 238.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), calcareous, very well | | |
| cemented; contains some mudstone laminae | 238.5 | 240 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3), hard | 240 | 243 |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is black (NO); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae. Thin coal bed near 243 ft | 243 | 246 |
| Muds tone | 246 | 247 |
| Sandstone, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), very fine | | |
| grained, grades downward to fine-grained sandstone | | |
| near 270 ft; weakly cemented; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 247 | 275 |
| Claystone, grayish-brown (10 YR 5/2), silty or sandy; | | |
| contains some coal particles | 275 | 277 |
| Hard bed | 277 | 278(?) |
| Coal | 278(?) | 279 |

| | Depth (| (ft) |
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| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Claystone and subordinate mudstone and siltstone. | | |
| Claystone is black (NO); contains some coal laminae | | |
| near top of interval; becomes grayish brown (10 YR | | |
| 5/2) with depth; below 288-288.5 ft claystone grades | | |
| to brownish-gray (10 YR 4/1) mudstone interlaminated | | |
| with light-gray (N7) siltstone | 279 | 290 |
| Claystone and subordinate coal and siltstone. Claystone | | |
| is brownish black (5 YR 2/1); contains some coal | | |
| particles and thin coal beds above 294 ft, and some | | |
| light-gray (N7), noncalcareous siltstone layers near | • | |
| bottom of interval | 290 | 302 |
| Coal, water-bearing | 302 | 311 |
| Claystone, grades to mudstone, sandy, dark-gray (N3); | | • |
| contains coal laminae. Hole wet | 311 | 318(?) |
| Siltstone and sandstone. Siltstone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains some mudstone laminae; appears to grade | | |
| to light-gray (N7), very fine grained sandstone, that | | |
| contains some coal laminae. Hole wet | 318(?) | 325 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous; contains some | | |
| mudstone laminae and some coal streaks. Hole wet | 325 | 330 |
| Siltstone, as above, and medium-dark-gray (N4) mudstone, | | |
| which contains some coal laminae. Hole wet | 330 | 335 |

| | Depth | (ft) |
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| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous; strongly | | |
| cemented 352-356 ft; contains numerous mudstone | | |
| laminae between 345 ft and 350 ft | 33 5 | 356 |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is dark gray (N3); contains | | |
| some coal streaks. Thin coal bed near 358 ft | 356 | 360 |
| Claystone and mudstone. Claystone is black (NO); contains | | |
| some coal laminae, a trace of pyrite and, near top | | |
| of interval, some dark-gray (N3) mudstone | 360 | 384 |
| Coal | 384 | 394 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains some coal laminae | 394 | 396(?) |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, clayey | 396(?) | 400(?) |
| Claystone to sandy claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); | | |
| contains some coal laminae | 400(?) | 405 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), non- | | |
| calcareous; contains numerous coaly carbonaceous laminae | • | |
| Mudstone is dark gray (N3); contains some coal | | |
| particles | 405 | 410 |
| Siltstone and mudstone, as in interval above, and sand- | | |
| stone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), noncalcareous, | | |
| very fine grained; contains some carbonaceous laminae | • | |
| and a trace of pyrite | 410 | 415 |
| Sandstone and siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, | | |
| weakly cemented; contains some carbonaceous laminae | | |
| and pyrite. Pyrite is more abundant near bottom of | | |
| interval than top | 415 | 425 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Mudstone and interlaminated siltstone and claystone. | | |
| Mudstone is medium dark gray (N4); contains some coal; | | |
| laminae near top of interval appears to grade to inter- | | |
| laminated siltstone and claystone. Soft bed near | | |
| 434 ft | 425 | 435 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| noncalcareous, open; contains numerous coal laminae | | |
| and some coal streaks. Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains some pyrite | 435 | 440 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae and coal streaks | 440 | 445 |
| Siltstone, as in interval above, and dark-gray (N3) clay- | | |
| stone, which contains some pyrite. Flowing formation | | |
| water | 445 | 450* |
| Sandstone, siltstone, and claystone. Sandstone is medium | | |
| gray (N5), very fine grained; contains numerous coal | | |
| particles and some mudstone laminae. Siltstone is | | |
| medium light gray (N6); contains numerous mudstone | | |
| laminae. Claystone is dark gray (N3) | 450 | 455 |
| Siltstone, black to medium-gray (NO-5), noncalcareous; | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae in some parts of the | | |
| interval and a trace of pyrite | 455 | 460 |

| | Depth | · m |
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| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Interlaminated(?) sandstone, siltstone, mudstone, and | | |
| claystone, dark- to light-gray (N3-7); contain some | | |
| coal particles and laminae. Hard bed (sandy siltstone(?) |) | |
| near 470 ft | 460 | 478 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae, some | | |
| light-gray (N7) claystone clasts and coal streaks near | | |
| top of interval; becomes brownish black (5 YR 2/1) below | | |
| 480 ft | 478 | 490 |
| Mudstone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite. Hard | | |
| bed (sandy siltstone?) near 493 ft; soft near 494 ft | 490 | 495 |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is grayish-black (N2); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal particles | 495 | 500 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous black | | |
| (coaly?) particles | 500 | 510 |
| Claystone, black (NO); may contain some coal near 517 ft | | |
| and 525 ft | 510 | 525 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, coal(?), and medium-dark- | | |
| gray (N4) mudstone | 525 · | 530 |
| Coal and black (NO) claystone with numerous coal laminae- | 530 | 534(?)** |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains some coal particles. Siltstone is medium dark | | |
| gray (N4), noncalcareous; contains numerous coal | | |
| streaks | 534(?) | 540 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| particles and fewer limonitic grains. Thin brownish- | | |
| | | |
| gray, strongly cemented hard stiltstone bed near | | |
| 543 ft | 540 | 545 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae. Claystone is black | | |
| (NO); contains more coal laminae than siltstone | 545 | 550 |
| Claystone, black (NO), coaly, and medium-dark-gray (N4) | 550 | 555 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1); contains some coal. Siltstone is medium | | |
| light gray (N6), noncalcareous; contains numerous coal | | |
| streaks. Coal 557-558.5 ft? | 555 | 560 |
| Claystone, black (NO) and brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); | | • |
| contains numerous coal laminae where black | 560 | 570 |
| Coal, mudstone, and claystone. Mudstone is medium dark | | |
| gray (N4); contains numerous coal laminae. Claystone | | |
| is black (NO); contains more coal laminae than the | | |
| mudstone | 570 | 575 |
| Mudstone and claystone, as in interval above, and silt- | | |
| stone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), noncalcareous; | | |
| contains coal particles | 575 | 585 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
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| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| noncalcareous; contains some coal particles. Clay- | | |
| stone is dark gray to black (N3-0); contains some | | |
| kaolinitic(?) laminae | 585 | 590 |
| Sandstone, claystone, and siltstone. Sandstone is light | | |
| gray (N7), fine grained, weakly cemented. Claystone is | | |
| dark gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite. Siltstone | | |
| is light gray (N7); contains numerous carbonaceous | | |
| laminae | 590 | 610 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5) | 610 | 615 |
| Sandstone, fine-and very fine-grained, weakly cemented | 615 | 650 |
| Total depth - 650 ft. | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D26

[Intervals marked with a single asterisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. Intervals marked with a double asterisk (**) are intervals in which formation penetration by the drill was more rapid than in other intervals. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048.]

Location: 375 ft FEL, 1,700 ft FSL, sec. 17, T. 15 N., R. 90 W., 6th P.M.,

Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,285 ft

Drilling started 9-11-75; completed 9-12-75

Total depth: 710 ft

Air injection drilling 0-420 ft; air and water 420-710 ft

Logged by: S. C. Zimmermann

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, light-yellowish-brown (10 YR 6/4), and light- | | |
| gray (N7), calcareous, open; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 0 | ` 5 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is yellowish gray | | |
| (2.5 Y 7/2), calcareous, tight. Claystone is light | | |
| brownish bray (10 YR 6/1) and irregularly yellowish- | | |
| orange (iron-oxide) stained; contains numerous black | | |
| (coaly?) streaks. Siltstone and claystone appear to | | |
| be interbedded | - 5 | 10 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and siltstone. Silt- | | |
| stone is yellowish brown (10 YR 5/8), calcareous, | | |
| open, and becomes the predominant lithology near the | | |
| bottom of the interval | 10 | 15 |

| | Depth (| ft) |
|--|---------|------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Claystone and mudstone. Claystone is dark yellowish | | |
| orange (10 YR $6/6$) to medium brownish gray (5 YR $5/1$); | | |
| grades to very dark gray (10 YR 3/1) mudstone with | | |
| numerous coal streaks with depth | 15 | 17 |
| Coal, grades to impure coal near 20 ft and impure coal | | |
| grades to black (NO) coaly claystone near bottom of | | |
| interval | . 17 | 23 |
| Sandstone, weakly yellowish-orange (10 YR 7/6), very | | |
| fine grained | 23 | 25 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is pale yellowish | | |
| orange to dark yellowish orange (10 YR 8-6/6), very | | |
| light gray (N8), weakly cemented near top of interval; | | • |
| interbedded(?) with black (NO) claystone near bottom. | | ٠ |
| Hard bed of pyritized siltstone near 27 ft | 25 | 30 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains a trace of pyrite. | | |
| Hard bed, 36-37 ft | 30 | 40.5 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous, strongly | • | |
| cemented (40.5-42 ft), tight; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 40.5 | 46 |
| Mudstone and claystone. Mudstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains numerous siltstone laminae and carbonaceous | | |
| streaks. Claystone is medium dark gray (N4); contains | | |
| some black (coaly?) streaks. Mudstone and claystone | | |
| appear to be interbedded | 46 | 50 |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|--|-------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| calcareous. Claystone is medium dark gray (N4); | | |
| contains some black (coaly?) streaks. Siltstone and | | |
| claystone appear to be interbedded | 50 | 55 |
| Siltstone and mudstone, interlaminated(?), light gray | | |
| (N7); mudstone laminae contain some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks | . 55 | 60 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| streaks and a trace of pyrite | 60 | 65 |
| Mudstone, medium-light-gray (N6), laminated light and | | |
| dark; contains a trace of pyrite. Hard bed, 74.5 ft- | | |
| 75 ft | 65 | 75 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above, and claystone. Clay- | | • |
| stone is medium dark gray (N4); contains a trace of | | |
| pyrite. Hard bed 81.4 ft-82 ft | 75 | 85 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is medium light gray | | |
| (N6), sandy, weakly cemented; contains some coal par- | | |
| ticles. Mudstone is medium gray (N5); contains a trace | | |
| of glauconite(?) and some coal particles | 85 | 90 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above | 90 | 100 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray (N5), very fine grained, weakly | | |
| cemented | 100 | 106 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is light brownish | | |
| | | |
| gray (5 YR 5/1), fine grained, weakly cemented; con- | | |
| tains numerous coal particles. Claystone is dark | | |
| gray (5 YR 2/1), sandy; contains some coal laminae. | | |
| Sandstone and claystone appear to be interbedded | 106 | 109 |
| Sandstone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), fine- | | |
| grained (109 ft-120 ft), grades to very fine grained | | |
| (120 ft-122 ft), weakly cemented; contains some coal | | |
| particles, grades to very fine grained sandstone in | | |
| basal 2 ft of interval | 109 | 122** |
| Siltstone, sandy, medium-gray (N5), weakly cemented, | | |
| <pre>interbedded(?) with a lesser amount of medium-gray</pre> | | • |
| (N5), noncalcareous, open siltstone in which pyrite | | |
| is abundant. Hard bed of very fine grained, cal- | | |
| careous sandstone 128-129 ft | 122 | 131 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite | 131 | 143.5 |
| Hard bed | 143.5 | 144.5 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite | 144.5 | 145.7 |
| Hard bed | 145.7 | 146 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); contains many thin | | |
| hard beds | 146 | 155 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains a trace of | | |
| pyrite, some black (coaly?) particles, and numerous | | |
| hard thin beds | 155 | 177 |

| | Depth (| |
|--|---------|-------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is dark gray (N3), | | |
| fine grained, clayey, noncalcareous. Siltstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5) overall but is composed of dark- and | | |
| light-gray (N3-N7) layers. The dark laminae are clayey | | |
| and contain numerous coal streaks. The siltstone | | |
| appears to occur below the sandstone | 177 | 183 |
| Siltstone, sandstone, and mudstone. Siltstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5), sandy, weakly cemented, and occurs | | |
| near the top of the interval; grades to brownish-gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1), very fine grained, weakly cemented sand- | | |
| stone, containing numerous coal particles. Thinly | | |
| <pre>interbedded(?) medium-dark-gray (N4) mudstone and</pre> | | |
| light-gray (N7) siltstone, which contain numerous coal | | |
| streaks, occur between 189 and 192 ft | 183 | 192 |
| Coal | 192 | 195.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), weakly cemented; contains | | |
| some coal particles and a lesser amount of medium-gray | | |
| (N5), noncalcareous siltstone containing numerous | | |
| coal streaks | 195.5 | 200 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium dark gray | | |
| (N4); contains numerous coal streaks. Siltstone is | | |
| very light gray (N8), slightly calcareous, weakly | | |
| cemented; contains some coal particles | 200 | 204 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|------------|-------------------|
| Coal, partly oxidized(?) (contains reddish-brown dust) | 204 | 210 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), weakly cemented; contains | | |
| some coal particles | 210 | 215 |
| Coal, partly oxidized(?) (contains reddish-brown dust) | 215 | 218 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous coal | | |
| streaks | 218 | 220 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal streaks | 220 | 225 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains a trace | | |
| of pyrite | 225 | 233(?) |
| Siltstone and coal. Siltstone is brownish gray (5 YR | | |
| 4/1); contains numerous coal particles. Thin coal | | |
| bed near top of interval | 233(?) | 235 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), noncalcareous, | | |
| weakly cemented | 235 | 244 |
| Coal; contains brownish-black (5 YR 2/1), coaly clay- | | |
| stone(?) parting at 245.5 ft | 244 | 246.5 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1), noncalcareous, | | |
| weakly cemented | 246.5 | 250 |
| Sandstone, medium-light-gray (N6), very fine grained, | | |
| weakly cemented | 250 | 256 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray to brownish-black (5 YR 4-2/1); | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae | 256 | 259 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Siltstone, sandy near top of interval, grades to silty | | |
| sandstone near bottom, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), | | |
| weakly cemented | 259 | 275(?) |
| | 237 | 2/3(:) |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; con- | | |
| tains numerous coal and mudstone laminae | 275(?) | 278 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented, tight; contains some coal particles | 278 | 281.5 |
| Siltstone, sandy, medium-gray (N5), weakly cemented; | | |
| contains some coal particles | 281.5 | 285 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray (N5), very fine grained, weakly | | |
| cemented. Hole wet | 285 | 295 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is medium gray (N5), | | • |
| sandy, weakly cemented. Mudstone is grayish black | | |
| (N3); contains numerous coal and siltstone laminae | 295 | 305(?) |
| Coal | 305(?) | 316 |
| Mudstone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal particles | 316 | 320(?) |
| Siltstone, sandy, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1), weakly | | |
| cemented; contains some coal particles | 320(?) | 341 |
| Hard bed (siltstone or sandstone) | 341 | 342 |
| Sandstone(?), silty, medium-gray (N5), weakly | | |
| cemented | 342 | 344 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite | 344 | 354 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) To |
|---|---------|-----------|
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), calcareous, very | | |
| | | |
| strongly cemented in upper part of interval; very | | |
| dark gray (5 YR 3/1), sandy; contains numerous coal | | |
| particles in lower part | 354 | 360 |
| Coal | 360 | 364 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) and siltstone(?). | | |
| Rapid formation penetration suggests some weakly | | |
| cemented siltstone between 367 and 376 ft | 364 | 376** |
| Coal | 376 | 380 |
| Siltstone, sandy, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1) to medium- | | |
| gray (N5), weakly cemented; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 380 | 390 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray (N5), very fine grained, weakly | | |
| cemented | 390 | 403 |
| Coal. Water in hole | 403 | 410(?) |
| Mudstone and claystone. Mudstone is very dark gray | | |
| (5 YR 3/1); contains numerous coal particles. Clay- | | |
| stone is very dark gray (5 YR 3/1) to black (NO) where | | |
| it contains numerous coal laminae. Water in hole | 410(?) | 420* |
| No sample recovery | 420 | 425 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 425 | 426 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained or coarse-grained siltstone, | | |
| light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, tight; contains some | | |
| muddly carbonaceous laminae | 426 | 429 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------|------------------|
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1) | 429 | 433 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 433 | 435(?) |
| Mudstone, interlaminated mudstone and siltstone, and | | |
| claystone. Mudstone is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1). | | |
| Interlaminated mudstone and siltstone are medium | | |
| light gray to dark gray (N6-3); mudstone laminae con- | | |
| tain some coal laminae and are darker than siltstone | | |
| laminae. Claystone is dark gray (N3) and occurs in | | |
| the lower part of the interval | 435(?) | 455 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1) | 455 | 465 |
| Claystone, black (NO), with numerous coal laminae and | | |
| medium-gray (N5) with some coal streaks | 465 | .470 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 470 | 475 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is brownish gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1); contains some coal laminae. Siltstone is | | |
| light gray (N7), noncalcareous; contains some coal | | |
| particles | 475 · | 480 |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), noncalcareous; con- | | |
| tains some coal particles | 480 | 485 |
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), fine grained; contains some large soft white | | |
| grains. Claystone is brownish black (5 YR 2/1); | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae | 485 | 490 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|--|---------------|-------|
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3) | 490 | 495 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 495 | 500 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains some carbonaceous streaks. Siltstone is | | |
| medium light gray (N6), noncalcareous, tight; con- | | |
| tains some coal streaks | 500 | 505 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks. Hard bed 513-515 ft | 5 05 | 515 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), slightly calcareous, | | |
| strongly cemented in part; contains some coal | | |
| particles, streaks, and laminae | 515 | . 520 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 520 | 525 |
| Claystone and mudstone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); | _ :.a· /. | , |
| contains some coal laminae | 525 | 530 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Siltstone is medium gray (N5), | | |
| slightly calcareous, strongly cemented; contains some | • | ٠ |
| black (coal?) particles. Mudstone is very dark gray | | |
| (5 YR 3/1); contains some coal laminae | 530 | 535 |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is black (NO); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae. Few thin coal beds near | | |
| bottom of interval | 535 | 540 |
| No sample recovery | 540 . | 545 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone, black (NO), with numerous coal laminae, | | |
| grades to medium-gray (N5) claystone with some coal | | |
| streaks and a trace of pyrite near bottom of interval | 545 | 555 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal particles | 555 | 560 |
| Claystone and coal bed. Claystone is dark gray (N3) to | | |
| grayish black (N2); contains numerous coal laminae. | | |
| Thin coal bed near 562 ft and a thicker bed between | | |
| 591 and 595 ft? | 560 | 603 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains some coal | | |
| laminae and a trace of pyrite | 603 | 605 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and coal. Claystone is dark | | |
| gray (N3). Mudstone is medium dark gray (N4); con- | | |
| tains some coal laminae. Coal bed near 608 ft? | 605 | 610 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, tight; con- | | |
| tains carbonaceous laminae | 610 | 620 |
| Claystone, dark-gray to medium-gray (N3-5); contains | • | |
| coal laminae | 620 | 635 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), sandy, and brownish- | | |
| gray to brownish-black (5 YR 4/21) claystone. Both | | |
| contain some coal particles and laminae | 635 | 640 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and sandstone. Sandstone | | |
| is very light gray (N8), fine grained, slightly cal- | | |
| careous; contains some coal particles | 640 | 645 |
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| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| laminae | 645 | 655 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some coal streaks | 655 | 660 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above, and siltstone. Silt- | | |
| stone is light gray (N7), noncalcareous; contains | | |
| some coal streaks | 660 | 665 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| noncalcareous; contains some coal streaks. Claystone | | |
| is dark gray (N3); contains some coal laminae | 665 | 670 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains carbonaceous | | |
| laminae and a trace of pyrite. No sample recovery | | |
| 680-690 ft | 670 | 700* |
| Sandstone, very light gray (N8), very fine grained, | | |
| noncalcareous; contains some coal laminae | 700 | 705 |
| Sandstone, very light gray (N8), fine-grained and very | | |
| fine grained, noncalcareous; contains some coal | | |
| laminae; and medium-light-gray (N6) silty sandstone | • | |
| that contains some carbonaceous laminae | 705 | 710 |
| Total depth - 710 ft. | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D27

[Encountered water at 90 ft and, during deeper drilling, hole continually eroded. As a consequence, samples recovered from intervals below 90 ft were generally contaminated with material from higher portions of the drill hole and lithologic data for these intervals are not as reliable as data for other intervals. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048].

Location: 1,500 ft FWL, 800 ft FNL, sec. 19, T. 15 N., R. 90 W., 6th P.M., Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 6,860 ft

Drilling started 9-16-75; completed 9-17-75

Total depth: 510 ft

Air injection drilling 0-210 ft; air and water 210-510 ft

Logged by S. C. Zimmermann and J. M. Back

| Description | Depth (| (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------|-------------------|
| Mudstone, sandy, very pale brown (10 YR 7/3), irregularly | | |
| yellowish orange (iron-oxide) stained; contains cal- | | |
| careous coatings, partings, and fracture-fillings near | | |
| top of interval and trace of gypsum near bottom | 0 | 45 |
| Sandstone, very light gray (N8), very fine grained, | | |
| tight; contains some soft limonitic grains | 45 | 46 |
| Claystone, grayish-orange (10 YR 7/4), very thinly | | |
| laminated | 46 | 48 |
| Mudstone, very pale brown (10 YR 8/3) | 48 | 49 |
| Sandstone, pinkish-gray (5 YR 8/1) to light-gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained, noncalcareous, weakly cemented; | | |
| contains carbonaceous particles, and near 51 ft, a | | |
| thin claystone bed | 49 | 55 |

| Description | Depth (f | t) To |
|--|----------|----------|
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), slightly calcareous, | | |
| strongly cemented | 55 | 56 |
| Claystone and/or mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some | | |
| black (coaly?) particles and white siltstone laminae | 56 | 58 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained, and/or siltstone, yellowish- | | |
| gray (5 Y 7/2), slightly calcareous, open; contains | | |
| some carbonaceous particles | 58 | 58.5 |
| Claystone and/or mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| some black (coaly?) particles and white siltstone | | |
| laminae | 58.5 | 60 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained, and/or siltstone, yellowish- | | |
| gray (5 Y 7/2), slightly calcareous, open; contains | | • |
| some carbonaceous grains | 60 | 64 |
| Claystone, mudstone, and siltstone. Claystone and/or | | |
| mudstone is medium gray (N5); contains some black | | |
| (coaly?) particles and white siltstone laminae. Near | | |
| bottom of interval grades(?) to very light gray (N8), | | |
| noncalcareous, tight siltstone | 64 | 66(?) |
| Siltstone, claystone, and coal. Siltstone and/or clay- | | |
| stone is black (NO), very coaly; contains some well- | | |
| crystallized kaolinite and thin beds of coal | 66(?) | 72 |

| Description | Depth (| ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------|------------------|
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), coarse-grained (fines | | |
| with depth), noncalcareous, open; contains numerous | | |
| carbonaceous laminae | 72 | 82 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4) near top of interval to | | |
| black (NO) and coaly near base; contains a trace of | - | |
| pyrite, where coaly, and some well-crystallized | | |
| kaolinite. Flowing water at 90 ft and in most inter- | | |
| vals below | 82 | 92 |
| Sandstone, light-gray, very fine grained, calcareous, | | |
| strongly cemented | 92 | 95.5 |
| Siltstone and subordinate sandstone and claystone(?) | | |
| Siltstone is thinly laminated, medium gray and dark | | |
| gray. Dark laminae become more numerous with depth and | | • |
| siltstone may grade to claystone near bottom of inter- | | |
| val. Thin beds of very fine grained sandstone con- | | |
| taining dark-gray laminae occur near 96.5 ft | 95.5 | 100 |
| Coal | 100 - | 102 |
| Siltstone, sandstone, and claystone(?). Siltstone is dark | | |
| gray, grades to slightly brownish light gray, very | - | |
| fine grained sandstone near bottom of interval and | | |
| claystone near top | 102 | 103 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Sandstone, slightly brownish light gray, very fine | | |
| grained | 103 | 104.5 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 104.5 | 107 |
| Sandstone, light-gray, very fine grained; contains dark- | | |
| gray laminae | 107 | 111 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray; may grade to claystone near bottom | - | |
| of interval | 111 | 117 |
| Coal | . 117 | 120 |
| Siltstone or claystone, dark-gray | 120 | 121 |
| Sandstone, light-gray, very fine grained | 121 | 128 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 128 | 137 |
| Siltstone and sandstone. Siltstone is dark gray, appears | | |
| to be interbedded with light-gray, very fine grained | | |
| sandstone, which contains dark-gray laminae | 137 | 137.5 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained; contains carbonaceous | | |
| material | 137.5 | 138.5 |
| Siltstone, laminated dark- and medium-gray | 138.5 | 148 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 148 | 151 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained; contains dark-gray laminae- | 151 | 154 |
| Siltstone, thinly laminated medium-gray and dark-gray in | | |
| upper part of interval to dark-gray near bottom | 154 | 160.5 |
| Sandstone and siltstone(?). Sandstone is very fine | | |
| grained, strongly cemented above 162 ft, less strongly | | |
| cemented below. May grade to siltstone near bottom of | | |
| interval | 160.5 | 167 |

| Degeriation | Depth From | · - |
|---|---------------|------------------|
| <u>Description</u> | | <u>To</u> 182 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 167 | 102 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is greenish gray, very | | |
| fine grained; contains dark-gray siltstone laminae which | | |
| becomes more abundant with depth | 182 | 206 |
| Siltstone, medium- to dark-gray | 206 | 210(?)* |
| No sample recovery | 210(?) | 215 |
| Sandstone, silty, very fine grained | 215 | 221 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray; contains dark-gray laminae | 221 | 221.5 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained | 221.5 | 232 |
| Siltstone, interlaminated dark-gray and medium-gray | 232 | 236 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 236 | 253. |
| Siltstone, dark-gray; contains medium-gray laminae | 253 | 266.5 |
| Hard bed | 266.5 | 270 |
| No sample recovery. Hard beds 282-283 ft and 285-285.5 | | |
| ft | 270 | 293 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray, very fine grained; contains dark- | | |
| gray laminae | 293 | 299.5 |
| Coal | 299.5 | 303.5 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray with dark-gray laminae near top of | | |
| interval becoming darker gray near bottom, very fine | | |
| grained | 303.5 | 310 |
| Coal? | 310 | 319 |
| Siltstone, sandy, dark-gray | 319 | 323 |

| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
|--|---------|-----------|
| Siltstone and very fine grained sandstone, inter- | | |
| laminated(?) | 323 | 326 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 326 | 330 |
| Siltstone, black, very coaly, weakly cemented. H2S gas | | |
| odor evolved from drill hole | 330 | 337 |
| Sandstone, gray, very fine grained | 337 | 339 |
| Siltstone and subordinate sandstone. Siltstone is dark | | |
| gray; contains thin, very fine grained sandstone bed | | |
| near 342 ft. H2S gas odor evolved from drill hole | 339 | 357 |
| Siltstone, laminated dark- and medium-gray | 357 | 360 |
| Coal(?) and coaly claystone | 360 | 396(?) |
| Coal(?), soft | 396 (?) | 404 |
| Siltstone | 404 | 413 |
| Coal and dark-gray siltstone | 413 | 419.5 |
| Sandstone and/or siltstone, light-gray; contains dark- | | |
| gray (siltstone?) laminae | 419.5 | 425 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray; contains light-gray siltstone | | |
| laminae | 425 | 428.5 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained | 428.5 | 429 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray; contains light-gray [siltstone] | | |
| laminae above 437 ft | 429 | 440.5 |
| Sandstone, medium-gray, fine-grained, soft; contains | | |
| dark-gray laminae below 442 ft | 440.5 | 450 |
| Coal | 450 | 457 |

| Description | Depth (From | ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|--------------|------------------|
| <u>Description</u> | Trom | 10 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray, very coaly (grades to black | | |
| claystone?) | 457 | 458 |
| Hard bed | 458 | 458.5 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 458.5 | 476.5 |
| Siltstone, dark- and medium-gray | 476.5 | 489 |
| Coal and dark-gray siltstone, interbedded(?) | 489 | 492 |
| Siltstone, mostly dark gray; contains medium-gray | | |
| laminae | 492 | 495 |
| Coal and dark-gray siltstone | 495 | 498 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray | 498 | 501 |
| Siltstone, dark-gray; contains some medium-gray silt- | | |
| stone layers | 501 | 510 |
| Total depth - 510 ft. | | • |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D27A

[Intervals marked with an asterisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048].

Location: 1,900 ft FEL, 400 ft FNL, sec. 19, T. 15 N., R. 90 W., 6th P.M.,

Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 6,930 ft

Drilling started 9-19-75; completed 9-23-75

Total depth: 710 ft

Air injection drilling 0-170 ft; air and water, 170-710 ft

Logged by S. C. Zimmermann and J. M. Back

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Sandstone and silty sandstone, light-reddish-brown | | |
| (5 YR $6/3$), grayish-orange (10 YR $7/4$), and pinkish- | | |
| gray (5 YR 8/1), very fine grained, calcareous, | | |
| strongly to weakly cemented, tight to open; grades | | • |
| to fine-grained sandstone and contains a trace of | | |
| glauconite(?) below 10 ft | 0 | 14 |
| Claystone and/or mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| some carbonaceous particles and yellowish-orange | • | |
| laminae | 14 | 17 |
| Sandstone, grayish-orange (10 YR 7/4), very fine grained, | | |
| calcareous | 17 | 19 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N7); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks | 19 | 22.5 |
| Coal | 22.5 | 23.5 |

| | Depth (f | |
|---|----------|-----------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | <u>To</u> |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 23.5 | 24.5 |
| Coal | 24.5 | 25 |
| Claystone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 6/1), thinly lami- | | |
| nated; contains some black (coal?) particles. Also | | |
| moderate-yellowish-brown (10 YR 5/4) claystone | 25 | 27 |
| Coal | 27 | 29.5 |
| Siltstone, laminated medium-gray and light-gray (N5-7), | | |
| noncalcareous, weakly cemented, open; contains numer- | | |
| ous coal particles near top of interval and numerous | | |
| carbonaceous streaks in the darker laminae | 29.5 | 37 |
| Mudstone alternating with claystone. Mudstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5), tight; contains silty laminae. | , | |
| Claystone is medium gray (N5); contains a trace of | | |
| gypsum | 37 | 46 |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, silty, | | |
| calcareous, weakly cemented, open; interval may con- | | |
| tain a thin coal bed | 46 | 55.5 |
| Coal(?) | 55.5 | 56.5 |
| Claystone, black (NO), very coaly | 56.5 | 56.7(?) |
| Sandstone, light-gray (N7), very fine grained, silty, | | |
| calcareous, weakly cemented, open | 56.7(?) | 64 |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented, tight | 64 | 65 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous, weakly cemented; | | |
| contains some thin claystone layers | 65 | 69 |
| Claystone and mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4) | 69 | 72 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), calcareous, weakly cemented | 72 | 75(?) |
| Claystone, dark- to medium-gray (N3-5); contains some | | |
| carbonaceous streaks | 75(?) | 80 |
| Coal; contains 0.5-ft parting of medium-gray siltstone | 80 | 86 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 86 | 87 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), clayey, carbonaceous | 87 | 93.5 |
| Mudstone and claystone. Mudstone is light gray (N7); | | |
| contains some carbonaceous streaks. Claystone is | | |
| medium dark gray (N4); contains some light-gray silt- | | |
| stone laminae | 93.5 | 103.5 |
| Sandstone, medium-light-gray (N6), very fine grained, | | |
| calcareous, strongly cemented, tight | 103.5 | 108 |
| Siltstone, laminated light- and medium-gray (N7-5), cal- | | |
| careous; contains carbonaceous material in the darker | • | |
| laminae | 108 | 113 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains a trace of pyrite | - | |
| and black (coaly?) particles | 113 | 117 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), | | |
| very fine grained, weakly cemented; grades to siltstone | | |
| near bottom of interval. Water in hole | 117 | 120 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and/or mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); | | |
| contains a trace of pyrite and some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks. Water in hole? | 120 | 128* |
| Sandstone, medium-light-gray (N6), very fine grained, | | |
| calcareous, strongly cemented; contains a trace of | | |
| glauconite(?). Water in hole? | 128 | 130* |
| Siltstone interlaminated with mudstone. Siltstone is | | |
| light gray (N7), calcareous, open. Mudstone is | | |
| medium gray (N5), calcareous, contains carbonaceous | | |
| material. Water in hole? | 130 | 145* |
| Claystone and sandy claystone. Claystone is medium gray | | |
| (N5); contains some black streaks. Sandy claystone | | |
| is medium dark gray (N4); contains glauconite(?); grades | | |
| to clayey sandstone. Water in hole? | 145 | 150 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), sandy, generally weakly | | |
| cemented; contains a trace of glauconite(?) and coal | | |
| particles. Some siltstone is calcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented. Water in hole? | 150 | 170 |
| No sample recovery | 170 | 175 |
| Clayey sandstone to mudstone, light-gray (N7), very fine | | |
| grained, noncalcareous, tight; contains a trace of | | |
| glauconite(?) | 175 | 185 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|---|---------------|------|
| Claystone, dark- to medium-gray (N3-5), slightly sandy. | | |
| The darker portions of the claystone contain coal | | |
| laminae | 185 | 190 |
| Sandstone or coarse siltstone, light-gray (N7), very | | |
| fine grained; contains carbonaceous streaks and | | |
| limonitic grains | 190 | 193 |
| Siltstone, mudstone, and claystone, interbedded and | | |
| interlaminated, light-gray to dark-gray (N7-3). | | |
| Siltstone is calcareous and contains some carbon- | | |
| aceous particles | 193 | 210 |
| Siltstone and very fine grained sandstone, medium-gray | | |
| (N5), calcareous, strongly cemented; contains a | | |
| trace of pyrite | 210 | 215 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains carbonaceous | | |
| streaks | 215 | 245 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, and mudstone and/or | | |
| siltstone, interlaminated with claystone, dark-gray | | |
| and very light gray (N8 and N3); contains a trace of | • | |
| pyrite | 245 | 255 |
| Mudstone and/or siltstone, interlaminated with claystone, | | |
| as in interval above, and siltstone. Claystone con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae. Siltstone is medium | | |
| light gray (N6); contains some carbonaceous streaks | | |
| and laminae, and some limonitic grains | 255 | 260 |

| | Depth (f | t) |
|---|----------|----------|
| Description | From | To |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains numerous | | |
| coal, carbonaceous, and carbonaceous and coaly mud- | | |
| stone laminae | 260 | 263 |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains a trace of | | |
| pyrite; becomes black (NO) and coaly near bottom of | | |
| interval | 263 | 267 |
| Coal | 267 | 271 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone occurs above 274.5 | | |
| ft, is black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae and | | |
| a trace of well-crystallized kaolinite. Siltstone is | | |
| light gray (N7), calcareous, tight, and comprises the | | |
| lower part of the interval | 271 | 278 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| laminae and limonitic grains | 278 | 279 |
| Coal | 279 | 289 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 289 | 289.5(?) |
| Siltstone and claystone. Siltstone is medium to very | | |
| light gray (N5-8); contains coal laminae near top and | | |
| bottom of interval. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1); contains coal laminae near top of interval. | | |
| Siltstone and claystone appear to be interbedded | 289.5(?) | 296 |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|---|-------|-------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1), to light-brownish- | | |
| gray (10 YR 6/2); contains a trace of pyrite and | | |
| black (coaly?) particles | 296 | 300 |
| Coal | 300 | 303 |
| Claystone, black (NO), grades downward to dark gray (N3), | | |
| noncalcareous, open siltstone. Both claystone and | | |
| siltstone contain numerous coal laminae | 303 | 305 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains some coal particles and numerous clayey | | |
| carbonaceous layers; appears to be interbedded and | | |
| interlaminated with medium-dark-gray mudstone, which | | |
| contains some coal streaks and a trace of pyrite | 305 | 310 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), near top of interval, | | • |
| to brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) and black (NO) near | | |
| bottom; contains numerous coal laminae below 315 ft | 310 | 324.5 |
| Coal | 324.5 | 326 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray to grayish-black (N4-2); | | |
| contains some coal laminae | 326 | 345 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7); contains some coal laminae | 345 | 346 |
| Claystone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1); contains some | | |
| black (coaly?) particles | 346 | 350 |

| <u>Description</u> | Depth From | (ft) To |
|--|---------------|------------|
| Coal | 350 | 358(?) |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 358(?) | 359 |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), | | |
| very fine grained, clayey, noncalcareous; grades to | | |
| medium-light-gray (N6) clayey siltstone with depth | 359 | 362 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4) near top of interval | | |
| to black (NO) near bottom; contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae near bottom | 362 | 373 |
| Coal | 373 | 375 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is dark gray (N3). | | |
| Siltstone is very light gray (N8), noncalcareous; | | |
| contains some carbonaceous, clayey layers | 375 | 380 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), | | • |
| interlaminated with dark-gray mudstone. Both silt- | | |
| stone and mudstone are noncalcareous; contain some coal | | |
| particles and a trace of pyrite. Amount of mudstone | | |
| increases with depth | 380 | 390 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains some pyrite | 390 | 403 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous; contains | • | |
| numerous coaly laminae, some pyrite, limonitic grains, | | |
| and near bottom of the interval, some coaly mudstone | | |
| laminae | 403 | 410 |
| Coa1 | 410 | 415 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); becomes black | | |
| (NO), and contains numerous coal laminae near bottom | | |
| of interval | 415 | 427 |
| Coal | 427 | 429(?) |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is black (NO); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae. Siltstone is dark gray | | |
| (N3), clayey | 429(?) | 431 |
| Mudstone and claystone. Mudstone is dark gray (N3); con- | | |
| tains numerous, very thin coal laminae; grades to | | |
| medium-dark-gray (N4) claystone near bottom of | | |
| interval | 431 | 436 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6), to very light gray | | |
| (N8), calcareous, very strongly cemented between 444 | | • |
| and 447 ft; contains numerous coal laminae except | | |
| where strongly cemented | 436 | 452 |
| Coal | 452 | 455 |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains some coal particles | | |
| and laminae | 455 | 462.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5) | 462.5 | 465 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae. Flowing formation water in this and in most | | |
| of the deeper intervals | 465 | 470* |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is dark gray (N3). | | |
| Siltstone is light gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; | | |
| contains some carbonaceous laminae | 470 | 475* |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and siltstone, as above, and coal | 475 | 480* |
| Siltstone, very light gray (N8), noncalcareous, open; con- | | |
| tains numerous coaly mudstone laminae | 480 | 485* |
| Sandstone and siltstone. Sandstone is very light gray | | |
| (N8), very fine grained, open, noncalcareous; contains | | |
| some coal laminae. Siltstone is medium gray (N5), | | |
| clayey, noncalcareous, tight; contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae | 485 | 490* |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7) to yellowish-gray (10 YR 7/1); | | |
| contains some carbonaceous laminae | 490 | 495* |
| Siltstone, sandstone, and claystone. Siltstone is light | | |
| gray (N7) to yellowish gray (10 YR 7/1); contains | | |
| some carbonaceous laminae. Sandstone is light gray | | • |
| (N7), very fine grained, weakly cemented. Claystone | | |
| is medium gray (N5) to black (NO), very coaly where | | |
| black | 495 | 500* |
| Sandstone, claystone, and interbedded(?) siltstone and | | |
| sandstone. Sandstone is light gray (N7), very fine | | |
| grained, weakly cemented. Claystone is medium light | | |
| gray (N6). Interbedded(?) siltstone and very fine | | |
| grained sandstone are very pale brown, calcareous, | | |
| open. Soft bed near 503 ft | 500 | 510* |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|--|-------|----------------|
| Description | From | To |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is light brown | | |
| (5 YR 6/2) to light gray (N7); contains some car- | ٠ | |
| bonaceous particles. Mudstone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1) | 510 | 515* |
| Claystone and sandstone. Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains some coal laminae. Sandstone is dark | | |
| yellowish orange (10 YR 6/6), very fine grained, cal- | | |
| careous, open | 515 | 520 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains some coal laminae. Siltstone is very pale | | |
| brown (10 YR 7/3), calcareous, open | 520 | 525* |
| Claystone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); contains some coal | | |
| laminae | 525 | · 530 * |
| Claystone; as in interval above, and very pale brown | | |
| (10 YR 7/3), calcareous, siltstone | 530 | 540* |
| Claystone, light-olive-gray (5 YR 6/1) and brownish- | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1); contains some coal laminae where | | |
| brownish black | 540 | 545* |
| Claystone, black to medium-gray (NO-5); contains | - | |
| numerous coal laminae where black | 545 | 550* |
| Claystone, as above, and pinkish-gray (5 YR 8/1) clay- | | |
| stone, which contains some black (coaly?) streaks | 550 | 555* |

| | Depth | (ft) |
|---|--------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Claystone, black to medium-gray (NO-5); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae where black | 555 | 560* |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae | 560 | 575* |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is black to medium gray | | |
| (NO-5); contains numerous coal laminae where black. | | |
| Coal beds, 577-579 ft and 585-588 ft | 575 | 590* |
| Claystone, black to medium-gray (NO-5); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae where black | 590 | 600* |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some coal streaks | 600 | 605* |
| Claystone and coal(?). Claystone is black to dark gray | | |
| (NO-3); contains numerous coal laminae where black | 605 | 610(?)* |
| Claystone, as in interval above. Coal 614-615 ft? | 610(?) | 615* |
| Claystone, mudstone, and coal. Claystone and mudstone are | | |
| medium gray (N5); contain some coal particles. Coaļ | | |
| 615-618 ft? | 615 | 620* |
| Claystone and mudstone, as in interval above; coal bed | | |
| 624-625 ft | 620 | 625* |
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is brownish black (5 YR | | |
| 2/1) to medium dark gray (N4). Soft bed, 625-628 ft | 625 | 630* |
| No sample recovery | 630 | 635 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Claystone and coal. Claystone is brownish black | | |
| (5 YR 2/1) to medium dark gray (N4). Coal 636(?)- | | |
| 638(?) ft | 635 | 640* |
| No sample recovery. Rapid formation penetration except | | |
| for hard beds 667-669 ft and 686-687.5 ft | 640 | 710 |
| Total depth - 710 ft. | | |

Lithologic log of drill-hole DM-D28

[Intervals marked with an asterisk (*) are intervals for which lithologic data are less reliable than for other intervals because of poor sample quality or insufficient sample quantity. All measurements are in feet; to convert to metres, multiply by 0.3048.]

Location: 675 ft FWL, 250 ft FNL, sec. 22, T. 15 N., R. 90 W., 6th P.M.,

Carbon County, Wyoming

Collar elevation: 7,530 ft

Drilling started 9-8-75; completed 9-10-75

Total depth: 610 ft

Air injection drilling 0-238 ft; air and water 238-610 ft

Logged by: S. C. Zimmermann

| Description | Depth (| (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------|-------------------|
| Sandstone, light-yellowish-brown (10 YR 6/4), very fine | | |
| grained, calcareous, tight, strongly cemented | 0 | 2 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| particles | 2 | 3.5 |
| Sandstone, light-yellowish-brown (10 YR 6/4), very fine | | |
| grained, noncalcareous, limonitic, open | 3.5 | 4 |
| Siltstone, light-yellowish-brown (10 YR 6/4), noncal- | | |
| careous, open | 4 | 14.5 |
| Mudstone, grayish-brown (75 YR 4/2) | 14.5 | 16 |
| Claystone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1) and moderate- | | |
| brown (75 YR 4/4); contains some limonitic grains | | |
| near bottom of interval | 16 | 22 |
| Sandstone, grayish-orange (10 YR 7/4), fine-grained, | | |
| calcareous, weakly cemented and open to strongly | | |
| cemented and tight | 22 | 26 |

| | Depth | _ |
|---|-------|-----------|
| Description | From | <u>To</u> |
| Sandstone, pinkish-gray (5 YR 8/1), fine-grained, non- | | |
| calcareous; contains numerous yellowish-orange | | |
| limonitic grains | 26 | 29.5 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4), slightly silty near | | |
| top of interval; contains some carbonaceous particles | 29.5 | 36 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains a trace of pyrite | 36 | 61 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains numerous | | |
| black (coal?) particles | 61 | 62.5 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains a trace of pyrite | 62.5 | 63 |
| Siltstone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), weakly | | |
| cemented | 63 | 64.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains numerous | | |
| black (coal?) particles | 64.5 | 65 |
| Siltstone and claystone. Claystone is dark gray (N3); | | |
| contains carbonized plant (rootlets, stems?) material. | | |
| Siltstone is light gray (N7) and light brownish gray | | |
| (5 YR 5/1), noncalcareous, weakly cemented; contains | | |
| some carbonaceous streaks | 65 | 70 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N4), noncalcareous, open; con- | - | |
| tains some carbonaceous particles | 70 | 72 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), weakly cemented | 72 | 72.5 |
| Siltstone, as in interval above, and medium-light-gray | | |
| (N6), noncalcareous, open siltstone with numerous car- | | |
| bonaceous particles and coal streaks | 72.5 | 75 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Coal and subordinate black (NO) to brownish-gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1) claystone with numerous coal laminae. | | |
| Some water near 77 ft | 75 | 80.5* |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; contains | | |
| some carbonaceous particles | 80.5 | 82 |
| Mudstone, medium-light-gray (N6); contains numerous | | |
| carbonaceous streaks | 82 | 83 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; con- | | |
| tains some carbonaceous particles | 83 | 85.5 |
| Claystone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 6/1) to black (NO) | | |
| near bottom of interval; contains coal laminae which | | |
| increase in abundance with depth | 85.5 | . 87 |
| Coal | 87 | 93 |
| Claystone, black (NO) to light-brownish-gray (5 YR 6/1) | | |
| and silty near bottom of interval; contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae near top | 93 | 95.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), slightly calcareous, | • | |
| strongly cemented | 95.5 | 96.5 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some black | | |
| (coaly?) streaks | 96.5 | 99.5 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5) to dark-gray (N3) | 99.5 | 102 |
| Claystone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4/1) to black (NO) near | | |
| bottom of interval; contains numerous coal laminae | | |
| near bottom | 102 | 103 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|--------------|
| Coal | 103 | 106 |
| Claystone, black (NO) to medium-dark-gray (N4); contains | | 200 |
| | | |
| numerous coal laminae near top of interval. Hole wet | 106 | 110 |
| No sample recovery. Hole wet | 110 | 112 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), slightly calcareous, tight, | | |
| strongly cemented; contains some coal laminae | 112 | 116 |
| Claystone, grayish-black (N2); contains a trace of pyrite | | |
| and some coal laminae; becomes medium-gray (N5), silty | | |
| near bottom of interval | 116 | 125 |
| Coal | 125 | 126 . |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae. | | |
| Hole wet | 126 | 130 |
| Siltstone, medium-gray (N5), noncalcareous, open; con- | | • |
| tains numerous clayey and carbonaceous laminae. | | |
| Hole wet | 130 | 140.5* |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae | 140.5 | 142.5 |
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium gray (N5) | | |
| near top of interval to dark gray (N3) near bottom; | | |
| weakly cemented, especially near bottom; contains | - | |
| numerous coal particles. Siltstone is very dark brown | | |
| (10 YR 3/3), weakly cemented | 142.5 | 148.5 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|---|---------------|---------|
| Siltstone and/or thinly interstratified(?) mudstone | | |
| and coal; overall color is brownish black (5 YR 2/1). | | |
| Siltstone and/or mudstone is dark gray (N3), weakly | | |
| cemented; contains numerous coal particles | 148.5 | 151.5 |
| | 140.5 | 131.3 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), weakly cemented; con- | | |
| tains some coal particles | 151.5 | 155 |
| Siltstone, brownish-gray, weakly cemented | 155 | 156 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), weakly cemented; con- | | |
| tains some coal particles | 156 | 157 |
| Siltstone, reddish-brown to light-reddish-brown, weakly | | |
| cemented | 157 | 159.5 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| particles and thin coal layers | 159.5 | . 161.5 |
| Siltstone, medium-brownish-gray (5 YR 5/1), weakly | | |
| cemented; contains some coal particles | 161.5 | 172 |
| Siltstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), noncalcareous, tight, | | |
| strongly cemented 173-174 ft; contains some coal | - | |
| streaks. Some siltstone is brownish black (5 YR 2/1), | | |
| weakly cemented and thinly interlayered with coal | 172 | 175 |
| Siltstone, brownish-black (5 YR 2/1) to brownish-gray | | |
| (5 YR 4/1), weakly cemented; contains numerous coal | | |
| particles; sandy below 200 ft | 175 | 210 |
| No sample recovery | 210 | 216 |
| Siltstone, as in interval 175-210 ft, and claystone. | | |
| Claystone is brownish black (5 YR 2/1); contains a | | |
| trace of pyrite and some coal streaks | 216 | 218 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Siltstone, very dark gray (5 YR 2/1), sandy, weakly | | |
| cemented; contains numerous coal particles | 218 | 226 |
| Siltstone, as in interval above, and subordinate clay- | | |
| stone and mudstone. Claystone is grayish black (N2). | | |
| Mudstone is medium gray (N5); contains a trace of | | |
| pyrite | 226 | 230 |
| No sample recovery. Hole wet | 230 | 233 |
| Siltstone and mudstone. Siltstone is brownish gray (5 YR | | |
| 4/1), sandy, weakly cemented. Mudstone is brownish | | |
| black (5 YR 2/1). Both contain coal particles. Hole | | |
| wet | 233 | 236.5 |
| No sample recovery | 236.5 | 245 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, open | 245 | 247 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N7); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| streaks and laminae | 247 | 252 |
| Coal | 252 | 259 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some carbon- | | |
| aceous streaks | 259 | 265 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous silt- | | |
| stone and claystone laminae, and numerous carbonaceous | | |
| and coal streaks | 265 | 270 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above, claystone, and siltstone. | | |
| Claystone is dark gray (N3); contains some coal streaks. | | |
| Siltstone is very light gray (N7), noncalcareous, open; | | |
| contains some coal and carbonaceous streaks | 270 | 275 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains numerous silt- | | |
| stone and claystone laminae, and numerous carbonaceous | | |
| and coal streaks | 275 | 280 |
| Sample lost. Mudstone(?) | 280 | 290 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|--|---------------|------|
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains numerous coal | | |
| laminae | 290 | 295 |
| Mudstone, as in interval above, and siltstone. Siltstone | | |
| is medium light gray (N6), calcareous, tight, strongly | | |
| cemented; contains some carbonaceous and clayey | | |
| laminae | 295 | 300 |
| Mudstone and siltstone, as in interval above | 300 | 305 |
| Claystone, mudstone, siltstone, and coal. Claystone is | | |
| black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae. Mudstone | | |
| is medium dark gray (N4); contains some coal laminae. | | |
| Siltstone is light gray (N7), noncalcareous, tight | 305 | 311 |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is very dark gray | | |
| (5 YR 3/1); contains numerous coal laminae. Siltstone | | • |
| is light gray (N7), noncalcareous, tight; contains | | |
| some coal laminae | 311 | 314 |
| Claystone, very dark gray (5 YR 3/1); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 314 | 315 |
| Siltstone and sandstone. Siltstone is medium light gray | | |
| (N6), calcareous and noncalcareous, very strongly cement | ed | |
| where calcareous; contains coal laminae; more carbonaceo | us | |
| in lower than in upper part. Sandstone is very light | | |
| gray (N8), very fine grained, noncalcareous, weakly | | |
| cemented, open; contains some siltstone laminae, and | | |
| between 320 and 325 ft, some coal laminae | 315 | 325 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) <u>To</u> |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Mudstone and siltstone. Mudstone is medium gray (N5); | | |
| contains some coal laminae. Siltstone is light brown- | | |
| ish gray (5 YR 6/1) to very light gray (N8), noncal- | | |
| careous; contains some claystone and carbonaceous | | |
| laminae | 325 | 330 |
| Siltstone and/or mudstone, light-brownish-gray (5 YR 6/1 | | |
| or 10 YR 6/2), noncalcareous; contains numerous con- | | |
| torted coal laminae | 330 | 337 |
| Claystone, black (NO) to brownish-black (5 YR 2/1); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae and some well-crystallized | | |
| kaolinite(?) | 337 | 340 |
| Sandstone, medium-dark-gray (N4), very fine grained, non- | | |
| calcareous; contains numerous coal laminae, a trace of | | • |
| pyrite and of glauconite(?) and resinous particles | 340 | 344 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4-3/1); contains some coal | | |
| laminae and particles, and numerous coaly siltstone | | |
| laminae | 344 | 350 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | |
| laminae | 350 | 355 |
| Claystone, white (N9); composed of kaolinite, mont- | - | |
| morillonite, and quartz | 355 | 356 |
| Mudstone, brownish-gray (5 YR 4-3/1); contains some coal | | |
| laminae | 356 | 360 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4) to dark-gray (N3); | | |
| contains some coal laminae and a trace of pyrite | 360 | 368 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) |
|---|---------------|------|
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains a trace of pyrite | | |
| and some coal laminae | 368 | 370 |
| No sample recovery | 370 | 375 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, tight; con- | | |
| tains some coal and carbonaceous laminae | 375 | 380 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4) to brownish-black (5 YR | | |
| 2/1), very silty to slightly silty; contains resinous | | |
| particles | 380 | 383 |
| Siltstone, light-gray (N7), noncalcareous, strongly | | |
| cemented, tight; contains some coal and carbonaceous | | |
| laminae | 383 | 385 |
| Claystone, black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae, | | |
| and traces of gypsum, resin particles, and pyrite | 385 | 391 |
| Claystone, as in interval above, coal, and brownish- | | |
| gray (5 YR 3/1) claystone with some coal laminae | 391 | 395 |
| Mudstone, medium-gray (N5); contains some carbonaceous | | |
| particles | 395 | 400 |
| Sandstone, very fine grained, or siltstone and/or black | | |
| to medium-gray claystone (NO-5) with numerous coal | - | |
| laminae? | 400 | 410* |
| Coal | 410 | 418 |

| Description | Depth From | (ft) To |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Claystone and mudstone and/or siltstone. Claystone is | | |
| black (NO), medium gray (N5) to medium dark gray (N4) | | |
| and pale brown (7.5 YR 5/2). Black claystone contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae; other claystone, some coal | | |
| particles. Mudstone and/or siltstone is medium gray | | |
| (N5); contains dark clayey laminae and light-colored | | |
| siltstone laminae between 425 and 435 ft | 418 | 445 |
| Coal | 445 | 450 |
| | | |
| Claystone, dark-gray (N3); contains coal streaks | 450 | 455 |
| Mudstone, medium-light-gray (N6) to dark-gray (N3) where | | |
| coaly | 4 5 5 | 465 |
| Claystone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some coal | | • |
| particles and streaks | 465 | 473 |
| Coal with some medium-dark-gray (N4) claystone partings(?)- | 473 | 479(?) |
| Claystone and siltstone. Claystone is black (NO) and | | |
| medium dark gray (N4); black claystone contains numer- | | |
| ous coal laminae. Siltstone is very light gray (N8), | | |
| noncalcareous, open | 479(?) | 480 |
| Mudstone, medium- to dark-gray (N5-3); contains numerous | | |
| coal particles and streaks | 480 | 486 |
| Claystone, dark-gray to black (N3-0); contains numerous | | |
| coal laminae where black | 486 | 492 |
| Coal | 492 | 496(?) |

| Description | Depth (From | ft) <u>To</u> |
|--|--------------|------------------|
| Claystone, mudstone, and siltstone. Claystone is | | |
| medium dark gray (N4) to black (NO); contains num- | | |
| erous coal laminae where black; slightly silty. | | |
| Mudstone is medium dark gray (N4); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae and some siltstone laminae. | | |
| Siltstone is medium to light gray (N5-7) | 496(?) | 510 |
| Coal, claystone, mudstone, and sandstone. Claystone is | | |
| black (NO); contains numerous coal laminae. Mud- | | |
| stone is brownish gray (5 YR 4/1); contains some coal | | |
| laminae. Sandstone is very light gray (N8), fine | | |
| grained, noncalcareous, open | 510 | 530 |
| Claystone, black (NO) to medium-gray (N5); contains | | |
| numerous coal laminae where black | 530 | 535 |
| Mudstone, medium-dark-gray (N4); contains some black | | |
| (coal?) streaks | 535 | 540 |
| Claystone, medium-gray to black (N5-0); contains some | | |
| black (coal?) particles and, in some parts, numerous | | |
| coal laminae | 540 | 542 |
| Coal(?) | 542 | 544(?) |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains some black (coal?) | | |
| particles | 544(?) | 548 |

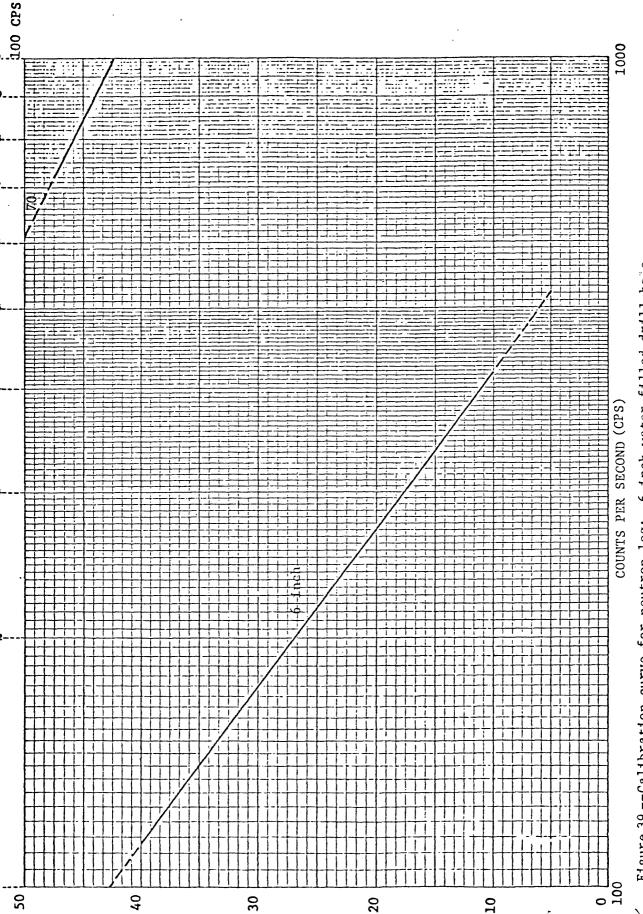
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|--|-------|-------|
| <u>Description</u> | From | To |
| Sandstone and claystone. Sandstone is white (N9), fine | | |
| grained, clayey(?), noncalcareous, open, weakly | | |
| cemented. Claystone is medium gray (N5) and appears | | |
| to be interbedded with the sandstone. Hard bed near | | |
| 550 ft | 548 | 556 |
| Claystone and mudstone. Claystone is black (NO); con- | | |
| tains numerous coal laminae. Mudstone is laminated dark | | |
| and light gray; average color is medium gray (N5); con- | | |
| tains some black (coal?) particles | 556 | 572 |
| Sandstone, pinkish-gray (5 YR 8/1), very fine grained, | | |
| noncalcareous, open | 572 | 575 |
| Mudstone and claystone, medium-gray (N5), generally | | |
| strongly cemented; contains some carbonaceous laminae- | 575 | . 581 |
| Sandstone(?) and claystone. Sandstone(?) is very fine | | |
| grained, weakly cemented in upper part of interval. | | |
| Claystone is medium gray (N5), black (NO) where it | | |
| contains numerous coal laminae | 581 | 586 |
| Claystone, medium-gray (N5); contains some black (coal?) | • | |
| particles | 586 | 589 |
| Sandstone(?) and claystone. Sandstone(?) is very fine | | |
| grained, silty, weakly cemented. Claystone is medium | | |
| gray (N5) | 589 | 610 |
| Total depth - 610 ft. | | |

Geophysical logs

All of the drill holes were logged by geophysical methods and copies of the logs (figs. 2-38) are presented in the pocket of this report. A set of seven geophysical logs was run in each hole except DM-D14 and DM-D22. The logs in the set were natural gamma, neutron, gamma-gamma, spontaneous potential, 16-inch and 64-inch normal resistivity, and caliper. All logs except the electric (resistivity and spontaneous potential) and the gamma-gamma were run in DM-D14 and all but the electric logs were run in DM-D22. Electric and gamma-gamma logs were not run in DM-D14 because of hole caving. Electric logs were not run in DM-D22 because most of the accessible part of the hole was above the water table.

Calibration curves relating porosity and density to counts per second on the neutron and gamma-gamma logs are given in figures 39 and 40, respectively. The calibration curves are for water-filled holes and can only be applied to those portions of the logs which were obtained below water level. The calibration curves cannot be used to determine actual porosity or density in coal. The neutron tool measures water-filled porosity by measuring the amount of hydrogen present.

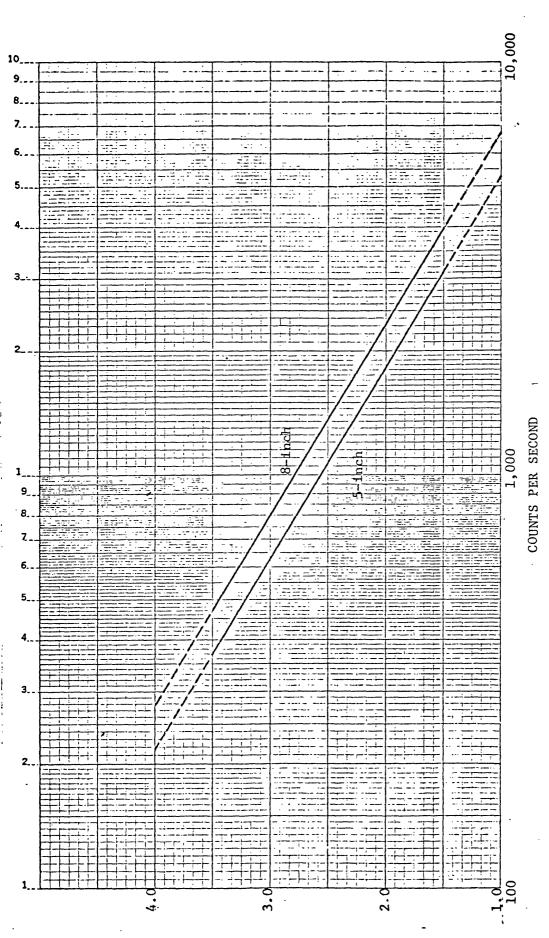
Coal, because it is composed largely of hydrocarbons, gives a false porosity value. The calibration curve for the gamma-gamma tool was calibrated in material of densities between 1.65 and 3.3 gm/cc and is probably not accurate for bituminous coals of the Mesaverde Group which presumably have densities in the range of 1.3-1.5 gm/cc.



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6-inch water-filled drill hole. Figure 39 .-- Calibration curve for neutron log:

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5-inch and 8-inch water-filled drill holes. Figure 40.--Calibration curve for gamma-gamma log:

Coal in the drilled formations

Coal beds were intersected in each of the eight drill holes.

The range in thickness of coal beds for all holes is 1-15 ft (0.3-4.6 m). Most of the coal is believed to have been deposited in lagoonal environments behind barrier bars of a prograding shoreline. Depth, thickness, and correlation of the principal coal beds intersected are based primarily on interpretation of the geophysical logs and are shown in figure 41.

Most of the coals drilled can be informally grouped into three zones which are numbered in ascending stratigraphic order on figure 41. Most of the thin coal beds in the lower part of each of the drill holes, except DM-D27, comprise coal zone 1. The beds in this zone are believed to be in the uppermost, marginal marine part of the Allen Ridge Formation. The beds below coal zone 1 in figure 41 are believed to be in the lower, nonmarine part of the Allen Ridge.

The thickest and most persistent of the coal beds are in coal zone 2, a 165-200-ft (50.3-67.1-m) zone in the lower part of the Almond

Formation. The top of coal zone 2 is about 250 ft (76.2 m) below the top of the Almond Formation in the southeastern part of the Doty

Mountain quadrangle. Coal zone 3, near the top of the Almond, contains only a few coals, but at least one of these appears to be 3 to 6 ft (0.9-1.8 m) thick in surface outcrops and drill holes over a large area of the southeastern part of the quadrangle.

Coal of the Mesaverde Group is generally of bituminous rank (Ball and Stebinger, 1910, p. 202). The average of six analyses (as-received basis) of six coal samples from four abandoned mines in T. 12 N., R. 90 W., show 6.61 percent ash, 0.58 percent sulfur, and a heating value of 10,359 Btu/lb (Ball and Stebinger, 1910, p. 200). An analyses (as-received basis) of a coal sample from the Robertson Mine in sec. 4, T. 17 N., R. 90 W., shows 8.69 percent ash, 1.44 percent sulfur, and a heating value of 10,339 Btu/lb (Ball and Stebinger, 1910, p. 201, 204).

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